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## THE DRAFTED MEN

Chosen by Lot from Shelby County for Army

The following list of names of those who have been drawn for Shelby county's quota for the new U. S. army, was obtained from our enterprising contemporary, the Shelby County Sun.

There are in the county 2,025 young men subject to the draft act, and taking the official list from Washington, all of them whose numbers were found in that list were drawn—until 292 men were obtained. For instance, the first number on the official list is 258, and that happens to be the number of Mr. E. J. Burton. The next number on the official list (excluding all above 2,025) is 458, and that is the number of Prof. Killingsworth. This process of consecutive selection was kept up till 292 men were selected. The county's net quota is just half this number, 146.

All men named below must join the army unless excused by the exemption board at Columbiana:

### MONTEVALLO

Red Serial Numbers	Order in which drawn at C. H.
458—M. H. Killingsworth, Montevallo	2
509—W. A. Reid, Montevallo	21
596—J. E. Peoples, Montevallo	26
548—John Beverly, Montevallo	30
616—L. G. Underwood, Montevallo	41
692—Joe Lee, Montevallo	48
437—J. W. Frost, Montevallo	56
433—B. E. Fancher, Montevallo	69
2011—W. E. Sorrell, Montevallo	88
601—Ben Rogers, Montevallo	96
606—Joe Smith, Montevallo	101
513—G. H. Zerbst, Montevallo	104
602—Nathan Rush, Montevallo	114
280—Walker Anderson, Montevallo	115
552—Horace Curry, Montevallo	138
2008—M. C. Smith, Montevallo	152
525—J. T. Wooley, Montevallo	188
574—Will Hill, Montevallo	173
549—Ben Brasher, Montevallo	204
488—A. B. Mauldin, Montevallo	246
327—J. R. Frost, Montevallo	268

### HELENA

854—J. W. Davidson, Helena	4
1095—J. T. Pant, Helena	7
1117—Will Bell, Helena	14
837—Thos. E. Coe, Helena	17
945—J. W. Wyatt, Helena	24
1324—J. H. Johnston, Helena	57
1014—Pollard Rowe, Helena	66
1045—Major Moore, Helena	72
1031—W. L. Pierce, Helena	73
1331—T. W. McGuire, Helena	75
1323—Geo. Jones, Helena	79
1322—T. J. Jones, Helena	97
1103—Wes Cunningham, Helena	99
1020—Henry Palmer, Helena	106
972—John Williams, Helena	127
1300—N. L. Cross, Helena	139
874—O. T. Hosea, Helena	137
905—S. E. McKinsey, Helena	157
1288—A. E. Brasher, Helena	160
882—Max Kanter, Helena	182
870—M. A. Gilliam, Helena	202
1054—Grady Lowe, Helena	210
841—C. A. Cook, Helena	214
1032—Oscar Owens, Helena	216
1016—Mois Reese, Helena	222
923—Chas. Rosebrough, Helena	229
1305—L. S. Elmore, Helena	230
970—Ambrose Wilson, Helena	237
1067—Alvin Johnson, Helena	254
900—H. H. Mullins, Helena	260
1287—J. T. Burnett, Helena	264
1102—Osce Carter, Helena	284
1057—Wyatt Lowe, Helena	292

### MAYLENE

1986—W. F. Lacey, Maylene	50
1066—Frank Jones, Maylene	63
924—H. E. Seagle, Maylene	64
927—D. L. Scott, Maylene	92
1099—H. Davis, Maylene	108
983—Henry Woods, Maylene	128
868—Tom Gentry, Maylene	137
1906—Robt. Dodson, Maylene	149
982—Robt. Williams, Maylene	154
933—Tollie Stamps, Maylene	158
981—Henry Webster, Maylene	177
1022—J. W. Payne, Maylene	213
1007—Robt. Sims, Maylene	232
1896—Rufe Atkinson, Maylene	250
1981—O. L. Jones, Maylene	261
1142—Rubin Hatter, Maylene	265
967—Lewie Ciparo, Maylene	273
1112—Jessie Bates, Maylene	276
1912—J. H. Haynesworth, Maylene	282

### VINCENT

1878—H. B. Pardue, Vincent	6
1813—Earnest Kidd, Vincent	11
1858—Clint Farley, Vincent	12
1752—Devotie Kidd, Vincent	13
1679—J. D. Cross, Vincent	32
1676—H. M. Cosper, Vincent	43
1705—Chas. Messer, Vincent	74
1685—C. C. Eatress, Vincent	76
1847—P. J. Darnell, Vincent	80
1723—J. L. Sharbutt, Vincent	85
1751—Alde Jones, Vincent	95
1818—Pura Riggan, Vincent	117
1887—R. C. Smith, Vincent	141
1848—C. C. Davis, Vincent	178
1817—Holly O'Neal, Vincent	180
1868—Arthur Farley, Vincent	185
1688—Jno. Foster, Vincent	223
1764—Lucius O'Neal, Vincent	233
1675—M. F. Chancellor, Vincent	239
1657—G. C. Abbott, Vincent	242
1873—J. L. Murphy, Vincent	245
1792—J. N. Stone, Vincent	272
1744—Yancy Datcher, Vincent	275

### CALERA

337—W. A. Jones, Calera	18
373—Jeff Woods, Calera	42
309—W. J. Coker, Calera	56
76—Buddy Glass, Calera	115
379—Wilbert Moran, Calera	133
382—J. A. Harland, Calera	132
343—R. H. Long, Calera	151
355—H. C. Moss, Calera	162
183—Joshua Corn, Calera	192
5—R. M. Atchison, Calera	198

350—B. R. Martin, Calera	199
335—Chas. Johnson, Calera	224
341—G. M. Long, Calera	231
353—C. L. Mathis, Calera	236
360—C. O. Robertson, Calera	241
72—Earl Gunn, Calera	249
356—C. C. Nelson, Calera	252
363—L. Q. Scoggins, Calera	263
345—E. E. Lynch, Calera	277

### SHELBY

258—E. J. Burton, Shelby	1
275—L. P. Lovet, Shelby	20
126—J. H. Morris, Shelby	31
107—J. W. Long, Shelby	37
43—Ivy Crumpton, Shelby	59
10—G. S. Busby, Shelby	71
182—L. B. Campbell, Shelby	102
117—R. M. Miller, Shelby	113
280—W. H. Merrill, Shelby	125
15—W. E. Busby, Shelby	156
56—L. B. Davis, Shelby	193
54—Gaston Dennis, Shelby	201
269—Jos. Howard, Shelby	218
128—A. A. Machen, Shelby	255
11—W. F. Bierley, Shelby	259
6—Ronald Armstrong, Shelby	267
103—Thurman Jusan, Shelby	280
154—Green Stagner, Shelby	288

### SILURIA

676—A. W. Hale, Siluria	19
775—R. F. Oden, Siluria	46
652—Edgar Duren, Siluria	91
739—J. J. Wyatt, Siluria	94
721—H. D. Scott, Siluria	120
675—Jno. D. Glazener, Siluria	143
726—Robt. Smith, Siluria	155
645—J. S. Collins, Siluria	167
760—Eulis Frazier, Siluria	191
741—T. M. Wyatt, Siluria	209
711—P. B. Oden, Siluria	212
638—T. L. Bryant, Siluria	215
685—W. B. Jefferson, Siluria	219
637—C. C. Brantley, Siluria	238
704—T. J. Moon, Siluria	248
679—C. E. Harless, Siluria	267
717—G. F. Roach, Siluria	291

### COLUMBIANA

140—Alger Robertson, Columbiana	82
18—Chas. Bradley, Columbiana	90
46—B. F. Crumpton, Columbiana	105
223—Jno. McGhee, Columbiana	111
1419—R. Merrill, Columbiana	121
194—Al Hawkins, Columbiana	136
218—Arthur Mardis, Columbiana	168
31—M. O. Blount, Columbiana	174
677—Clifton Hand, Columbiana	183
1430—T. W. Poe, Columbiana	225
1217—D. H. Sewell, Columbiana	243
112—A. P. Longshore, Columbiana	253

### HARPERSVILLE

1732—Will Weathers, Harpersville	35
1682—W. S. Dobbs, Harpersville	53
1763—Sam McGinnis, Harpersville	60
1771—Irvin Wallace, Harpersville	103
1672—F. J. Chancellor, Harpersville	140
1769—Homer Wallace, Harpersville	144
1727—Jno. Snider, Harpersville	176
1276—Mag Cummings, Harpersville	194
1674—W. H. Chancellor, Harpersville	203
1275—W. R. Carden, Harpersville	211
1709—W. H. Minter, Harpersville	251
1765—Earnest Oden, Harpersville	266

### WILSONVILLE

1436—J. H. Rheinhardt, Wilsonville	3
1455—J. O. Strickland, Wilsonville	9
1267—J. O. Lee, Wilsonville	27
1369—Harry Mitchell, Wilsonville	40
1417—J. L. McKinnon, Wilsonville	41
1441—J. L. Roper, Wilsonville	112
1456—W. T. Taylor, Wilsonville	119
1470—Leonard Williams, Wilsonville	166
1432—W. B. Pitts, Wilsonville	175
1358—Wm. Cohil, Wilsonville	228
1366—Gus Kidd, Wilsonville	235
1448—E. J. Spearman, Wilsonville	271
1355—Albert Bradford, Wilsonville	279

### STERRETT

1546—A. A. Johnson, Sterrett	38
1563—Burnet Brasher, Sterrett	39
1539—F. R. Partridge, Sterrett	52
1586—G. O. Spradley, Sterrett	53
1548—Cecil Howard, Sterrett	61
1264—J. M. Moore, Sterrett	62
1549—J. W. Howard, Sterrett	123
1560—Sam Davis, Sterrett	134
1531—J. M. Vick, Sterrett	159
805—Earnest E. Gardner, Sterrett	258
1543—B. J. Lawley, Sterrett	247
1557—C. C. Godwin, Sterrett	274

### ALDRICH

564—Murphy Gilmore, Aldrich	23
594—L. E. Shaw, Aldrich	28
600—W. H. Reese, Aldrich	49
507—J. H. Richardson, Aldrich	54
514—Lee White, Aldrich	68
542—L. S. Smith, Aldrich	135
620—Luther Ward, Aldrich	169
550—Loyd Bell, Aldrich	171
440—R. C. Henderson, Aldrich	206
493—Y. J. Pickett, Aldrich	227
571—Mat Harrison, Aldrich	244
556—Jno. Davis, Aldrich	286

### ACTON

1495—Eddie Johnson, Acton	29
1282—J. W. Adams, Acton	78
1484—Jim Finley, Acton	93
1479—J. H. Brown, Acton	124
1292—N. D. Bailey, Acton	126
1294—H. M. Bush, Acton	145
1354—Geo. Watts, Acton	148
1334—Chas. Mack, Acton	170
1509—M. M. Williams, Acton	186
1485—Jno. Loyd, Acton	207
1314—J. D. Hart, Acton	221

### WILTON

486—O. K. Moreland, Wilton	47
604—Luther Roden, Wilton	58
420—Lenwood Cochran, Wilton	65
487—J. P. McLendon, Wilton	77
432—A. Flanagan, Wilton	89
1395—Conie Glass, Wilton	100
530—Ben Thompson, Wilton	163
623—Isaiah White, Wilton	217

### PELHAM

1651—Dan Walker, Pelham	107
1636—S. B. Johnson, Pelham	110

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## THIRD YEAR OF WAR SEES SITUATION OF THE ALLIES GREATLY IMPROVED

Germany's Position Less Favorable Than One Year Ago or Two Years Ago—In Principal Theater of War, the West, East and Italian Fronts, the Entente Allies Have Shown Decided Superiority.

New York.—Germany's situation at the end of three years of war appears less favorable than it did either one year ago or two years ago.

She has to her credit in the last twelvemonth the crushing of ill-prepared Roumania and the conquest of two-thirds of that nation's territory.

But in the principal theater of war, the west, east and Italian fronts, the entente allies have shown, on the whole, a decided superiority to the central powers.

In the materials of war the nations fighting for democracy clearly have an increasing advantage over the kaiser's legions. They have dealt the enemy blow after blow which have told heavily in lives, if not in territory.

### Germany More Desperate.

Germany's plight is rendered more desperate than it was on August 1, 1916, by the accession of the United States and several minor peoples to the ranks of her enemies. Almost the whole world is now lined up against that nation.

Every belligerent dreads another winter of war, but Germany most of all. She lacks many things to face the rigors of a cold campaign—not only shells and guns, but wool for warm clothing and sufficient coal to run her rapidly deteriorating railroads and her factories and keep those at home comfortably warm, not to speak of the famine in the food fats so necessary to those facing zero weather.

Looking back on the long truce of the spring on the eastern front, it is hard to realize that the Russians just one year ago were in the midst of a splendid offensive much like that which has surprised the world in the present month. In the 1916 drive Brusiloff pushed far within Bukovina and Galicia and crossed the borders of Hungary. He took about 350,000 prisoners, mostly Austrians, and forced the enemy to concentrate masses of reliable German troops, aided by a few Turks, to check him.

The real reason his drive came to a halt, however, we know now was lack of ammunition, failure of transport, treason within the czar's armies and wretched bureaucratic inefficiency. These handicaps seem to have been removed from the courageous Muscovites, perhaps for all time.

### Unfortunate Roumania.

Roumania declared war on the Teutonic powers August 27 and immediately invaded Transylvania, where the weak Austrian guards were easily pushed back and the important cities of Hermannstadt and Kronstadt were soon in the invaders' hands.

The kaiser sent Von Falkenhayn, a splendid strategist just displaced by Von Hindenburg, as chief of the great general staff, to command on this front, while Von Mackensen headed the Germans, Bulgarians and Turks, who threw themselves on Roumania from the south.

The Roumanians proved no match for the combination of foes. Skillful work by German spies, or the treachery of certain members of their own army, put the Roumanians' plans of campaign in the Teutons' hands. It is now divulged. Bucharest fell December 6, and ten days later all Walachia was lost. On December 18 Russian troops took over the whole Roumanian front, and a few weeks later the Teuton advance was checked along the line of the Sereth and Danube rivers.

### Somme Battle Continues.

In the west, however, Germany was facing a far different problem from the poorly outfitted and trained Roumanian peasants. When the third year of the war opened the battle of the Somme was still going on vigorously, with the French and British showing a constantly growing superiority over the foe. Bit by bit through the summer and autumn the ground was wrenched from the kaiser's men until the coming of winter smothered the offensive "in mud and blood," and, according to the British commander, Sir Douglas Haig, saved his opponents from an immediate great enforced retirement.

On September 22 it was announced that the French and British had taken 55,800 prisoners in the Somme battle between July 1 and September 18. This total was later considerably increased.

### French Win at Verdun.

At Verdun, too, the Germans suffered. The French in battles of the fall and winter won back most of the ground lost in the offensive of the spring of 1916 and captured more than 15,000 prisoners, with slight losses themselves.

The spring campaign in the west opened this war with the Germans falling back from the great salient spearpoint directed at Paris—confessing thereby either their weakness or their aversion to a further offensive, although at the time German writers hinted darkly that Von Hindenburg "had something up his sleeve."

The "strategic retirement" began about March 17, and the Teutons triumphantly declared it would prevent an allied offensive this year. But they spoke too soon.

On April 9 the British stormed high Vimy Ridge, taking on this and succeeding days about 12,000 prisoners. The other enemy stronghold along the British line was Messines Ridge, south

of Ypres. This the British blew up by mines June 7, the noise being heard in London. They captured 5,000 prisoners the first day of the offensive and many others later.

### French Gain Hills.

Below the sector of the German retirement the French were equally successful. On April 16 they started a great offensive which resulted in the dominating "Ladies' road" falling into their hands, besides important positions in Champagne. Their prisoners the first two days totaled 17,000. On May 6, along the Aisne, they took 6,100 captives and gained points from which they looked down on the foe, as the British did farther north.

It should be noted here, however, that the French losses were severe, resulting in the replacement of Nivelle as commander in chief by Petain.

The last twelvemonth in the Italian campaign has witnessed a series of costly reverses for the Austrians, but the Italians have been prevented from following up their successes by the very difficult terrain, the beaten Teutons falling back after each defeat to new mountain positions most difficult to attack.

### Italians Take Gorizia.

On August 8, 1916, the Italians stormed the stubbornly defended Gorizia bridgehead, on the Isonzo river, taking about 10,000 prisoners, and they followed this success the next day by seizing the city of Gorizia and increasing the number of their captives.

The Italians launched a new offensive the first days of November and on November 5 they announced that their prisoners since the fall of Gorizia totaled 40,365.

Winter then stifled operations until May 15, when the Italians returned to the attack in the Carso, aiming at Trieste. On May 18 the haul of Austrian prisoners was announced to be 6,432. The offensive was renewed May 25, 9,000 prisoners being taken the first day. On May 26 Italy stated she had taken 22,414 prisoners since May 14.

The last operations left the Italians in an unfavorable terrain and the Austrians counter-attacked successfully, inflicting important losses, but not driving back the invaders to any great extent. The Italians apparently settled down to organize the conquered soil in preparation for a new blow.

### In the Balkans.

In the Balkans the deadlock continues, but what changes there have been have favored the allies. At the west end of the lines the gallant Serbians last winter fought their way

back on their own soil, and with the help of other troops took Monastir. King Constantine of Greece gave up the forts of Kavala to the Bulgarians and the Germans took about 20,000 Greek soldiers to Silesia as "guests." For this and other acts favoring the Germans he lost his throne. Greece is now building up a new army of 400,000 men, which will probably soon be fighting for the cause of democracy under the leadership of the great patriot, Venizelos.

The Italians have increased their forces in Albania and built excellent communications through the mountains, forming a junction with Sarrafi's left and securing this end of the Balkan line.

When the marshes froze there was a sharp Russian offensive last winter near Riga. Otherwise, the coast front lay dormant for many months, and during the revolution "fraternizing" was rife between the opposing armies. Then the Russians, having put their house in order, set out to show the kaiser that free men can fight better than slaves.

The sectors selected for attack lay between the Pinsk marshes and the Carpathians, the same as last summer. Successes were scored at several points, the prisoners by July 11 numbering 42,000. The greatest advance was near Stanislaus, from which city Korniloff's men advanced across a series of rivers, capturing Halez and Kalucz and sabering and bayoneting the beaten Austrians.

### Russian Drive Pleases.

The unexpected "come back" overjoyed the allies and filled the Russians at home with martial enthusiasm.

The Turks suffered severe defeats in the course of the year at several points. The British splendidly retrieved their reputation in Mesopotamia by recapturing Kut-el-Amara. On March 11 they took Bagdad. They continued several scores of miles further on and also formed a junction with the Russians northeast of Bagdad.

Farther north the Russians held on to their more important gains—the great cities of Erzerum and Trebizond, but abandoned Mush, Armenia, and a large city but thinly settled region to the foe.

### Near Jerusalem.

Moving out from the Suez canal the British inflicted a severe defeat on the Turks near Romani and then fought their way into Palestine, building a new railroad as they went. A further slight advance would bring them before Jerusalem. The Turks apparently are preparing to abandon the Holy City. They have also removed the Jews from the seaport of Jaffa, treating them so cruelly that hundreds have died.

In Germany's sole remaining colony, East Africa, converging columns of British, Portuguese and French are closing in on the remnants of the defeated army and the kaiser's overseas dominations seem near eclipse.

All military observers expect the war will continue through the next winter and the new campaigns are awaited with special interest because American troops will have a chance to show their mettle on the west front.

for air. Fluff filled his lungs, then dove and came up with his master, but was dragged under again until he had to let go.

Arthur Bazata came at the older brother's screams, dove in and brought the body of Joseph to shore. Fluff, who had kept diving desperately, refused to come ashore until Bazata came up with his master's form and brought it to land.

**HEARTY BREAKFAST IS O. K.**  
French Medical Professor Urges Europeans to Follow Example of Americans.

Bordeaux, France.—The American breakfast of ham and eggs, liver and bacon, beefsteak or other meat, vegetables and porridge, as a substitute for the meager European morning meal, is recommended for France by Doctor Bergonie, professor of the Bordeaux medical faculty.

Doctor Bergonie regards this substitution as one of the reforms most likely to relieve the economic situation, by providing rational nourishment and avoiding a great deal of waste.

He bases his argument on the fact that man requires sustenance most at the beginning of the day when he is about to make his effort, whereas in Europe he takes his principal meal when his day's work is half through, when he is half tired out and is incapable of so digesting his meal as to give him proper support for the rest of the day's work.

### HOW TO WRITE TO SOLDIERS

War Department Announces Rules for Addressing Letters to Men at the Front.

Washington.—Persons sending letters or cablegrams to American soldiers in France are cautioned in a war department announcement to include in the address only the name of the soldier, his company, regiment or other unit, and the words "American Expeditionary Force." The location of the unit should not be mentioned, even if it be known.

The envelope should also bear the name and address of the sender.

Similar rules prevail for communications from members of the expeditionary force to friends or relatives in the United States. Troop locations or movements must not be mentioned. Money may be transmitted through postal orders, but arrangements have not yet been completed for parcel post service.

## PUTTING TRAINING CAMP IN ORDER

QUARTERS FOR MACHINE GUN COMPANIES AT ANNISTON READY FOR OCCUPANCY.

## PLANS BEING WORKED OUT

Care for Troops From Maryland, Virginia, New Jersey, Delaware and District of Columbia.

Anniston.—With the machine gun camp, which will be a permanent training camp for the army artillery, completed and ready to accommodate the machine gun companies that will begin to arrive in a few days, Major Charles L. Dulin has now definitely decided on the site for Camp George B. McClellan, and is constructing buildings at the rate of 40 a day, clearing brush, laying pipe and looking after sanitation, all with an idea of having everything ready for the occupancy of the 35,000 men who will come here August 15, including the National Guard of Maryland, Virginia, New Jersey, Delaware and District of Columbia.

### Boll Weevil Hits North Alabama.

Albany.—Lawrence County is being invaded by boll weevils, which are seriously menacing the cotton crop, according to reports brought here by planters. In the Hillsboro section, it is stated that the pests have appeared in force and are thriving on the wet weather of the past two weeks. Farmers have begun a fight to save their cotton, and it is expected that the damage will be minimized. This is the first time that the boll weevil has worked this far north in Alabama.

### S. T. Jones Heads Farmers.

Birmingham.—At the final session of the Farmers Union convention here, S. T. Jones, of Newton, was elected president of the state organization for the ensuing year. The new President is from Dale County, and has been a progressive and enthusiastic worker in the ranks of the organization. O. P. Ford, of McFall, who has been president for the past six years, was elected Secretary, with C. M. Dinsmore, of Morgan County, as Vice President.

### Road to Be Reorganized.

Mobile.—John T. Cochran, receiver for the Alabama, Tennessee and Northern, just returned from New York, indicated early reorganization of the road and settlement of the receivership. "On the trip East we accomplished the complete settlement of all litigation pertaining to the road, and its development along lines originally planned," he said, adding that it will take some time to work out details.

### Data Being Compiled.

Albany.—Data is being compiled for a new directory for Albany and Decatur. The directory, it is expected, will show a population of 20,000 for the cities and environs. The directories sold to Albany subscribers will be marked on the back as Albany directories and those sold to Decatur subscribers will have Decatur marked on the back, but the contents of the two will be the same.

### Crops Being Damaged.

Sylacauga.—Rains have caused the farmers grave concern in this section. Lowlands are already suffering from overflow, and the corn crop will suffer a material decrease if the rains do not cease. Never in the history of Talladega county have prospects been so good for a crop of corn. The ravages of the boll weevil are going unchecked, as the farmers cannot get into the fields to pick infested squares.

### Greenville To Have City Delivery.

Greenville.—November 1 has been the date named for the beginning of city delivery for this city. This system will require two carriers and one substitute and additional space in the postoffice building. Postmaster R. E. Burritt received notice that city delivery would be given Greenville. A large number of business men have been working for this system for a number of weeks.

### Velvet Bean Grown.

Heflin.—E. R. Calson, County Demonstration Agent of Cleburne County, states that farmers are growing large quantities of velvet beans, a crop totally unknown in the community three years ago. The soil and climate have been found peculiarly adapted to the crop and very successful results obtained.

### Prominent Doctor Dies.

Tusculum.—Dr. Charles R. Palmer, one of the most prominent physicians of North Alabama, died at his home in Tusculum.

### Road Assessment Made.

Huntsville.—The Jackson Highway Association has assessed every county through which the highway passes \$4 a mile, and this sum must be made up at once to meet the expenses of the organization. Madison county's mileage is about forty miles.

### General Lee Bullard in France.

Opelika.—J. H. Purnell, of this city, has received a card from General Lee Bullard, a native of Opelika, who is commanding American troops in France.

### Mobile Endorses Lock 17.

Montgomery.—Mobile has endorsed Lock 17 as a site for the government nitrate plant, and the citizens of that city will cooperate with citizens of Tuscaloosa and Birmingham in the fight to have the plant located at that point, according to Judge Claude A. Grayson, of Mobile. "We felt that when the government board selected Lock 17 on the Warrior as first choice for the nitrate plant location that we should join in the fight and bring that plant to Alabama. We want the plant either at Lock 17 or at Muscle Shoals but we want it located in Alabama somewhere," said Judge Grayson.

### Remount Station for Montgomery.

Montgomery.—Separate and distinct from Camp Sheridan, in which is to be trained the 35,000 guardsmen from Ohio and West Virginia, Montgomery is to have an army amount station, in which will be kept from 8,000 to 15,000 horses and mules and which will require between 500 and 1,000 men.

This information was received from the headquarters of the Southeastern Department, Charleston, by M. C. Stokes, who has been active in arranging for the big camp, and who will probably be in charge of arrangements for the remount station. Mr. Stokes' advice came from Capt. J. C. H. Lee, aide to General Wood, and reads:

"War department has advised these headquarters that a remount station will be located in Montgomery."

### Anniston Breaks Building Record.

Anniston.—What is considered a record-breaking achievement in steel construction work in Alabama was completed when a Birmingham firm finished work on the new plant of the Southern Manganese Corporation, in West Anniston. The first run of steel was made just 45 days after the contract for the structure was signed, or a little over three weeks after the actual work began.

The building, which is of steel construction on a concrete and brick foundation, is 240 feet long, 63 feet wide and 45 feet from the ground to the bottom of the roof truss. It was completed, so far as the structural steel work is concerned, just twelve days after the first column had been set.

### Cane Mills Bought.

Birmingham.—The County Demonstration Agent from Guin, Marion county, while here announced that the farmers of that section, who have been heavily afflicted with losses from boll weevil and had no money to buy cane mills, have found relief from an organization of merchants, who have purchased mills for them, and allowed them to make payment in syrup at market prices.

### Bumper Crops in Butler.

Greenville.—Some farmers in certain sections of Butler County have stated that they are having too much rain. The farms in this section are generally in excellent condition, and the prospects very good for bumper crops. Butler county will produce more food for man and beast than ever before.

### Commissioner Is Named.

Huntsville.—Clarence L. Watts, a well known attorney, has been appointed United States Commissioner for this district. The appointment was made by Judge W. I. Grubb. Mr. Watts succeeds Major E. E. Greenleaf, who has been commissioner twenty-five years. Major Greenleaf was not reappointed because he is deputy clerk of the United States Court.

### Mill Contract Is Let.

Albany.—The contract for the building to be occupied by Albany's new silk mill, the first ever installed in the South, has been let by a committee of the Albany Board of Commerce and work will begin at once. One hundred looms will be put into operation at first, and it is planned to add 100 a year for five years.

### Plant Less Cotton.

Heflin.—The farmers of this section have planted about 50 per cent less cotton than heretofore. The boll weevil has at last made his appearance in Cleburne County, and the County Agent is busily engaged in telling the farmers how to combat him.

### Medical Inspection Planned.

Gadsden.—Plans for medical inspection of the city schools are being considered by the School Improvement Association. While no definite steps have been taken, it is probable that a called meeting of the association will be held soon to consider this question.

### Well Appointed Clerk.

Opelika.—Henry Weil, of Montgomery, has been appointed by Judge Clayton, of Montgomery, to fill the place of H. C. Peterson as deputy clerk of the Federal Court of Alabama for the middle district.

### Woman Killed by Lightning.

Huntsville.—Mrs. Jack Bingham was killed and her daughter seriously injured by a bolt of lightning.

### Crops Damaged by Water.

Huntsville.—The frequent rains of the last few days have caused overflows in a considerable area of bottom lands and much damage has been done to crops.

### Man Struck By Lightning.

Troy.—Louis J. Inright, younger brother of Circuit Court J. Inright, was struck by lightning while sitting in his home two and one-half miles north of Orion bridge, burning his thigh. He is now able to be up, but cannot see the injured limb.

## WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Mrs. Quinn's Experience Ought to Help You Over the Critical Period.

Lowell, Mass.—"For the last three years I have been troubled with the Change of Life and the bad feelings common at that time. I was in a very nervous condition, with headaches and pain a good deal of the time so I was unfit to do my work. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I did, and it has helped me in every way. I am not nearly so nervous, no headache or pain. I must say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best remedy any sick woman can take."

—Mrs. MARGARET QUINN, Rear 259 Worthen St., Lowell, Mass.

Other warning symptoms are a sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness, inquietude, and dizziness.

If you need special advice, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

**OXIDINE**  
Kills Chills  
Good for Malaria, constipation, biliousness — a fine tonic. Guaranteed or money back. Ask your dealer. Behrens Drug Co., Waco, Tex.

**ECZEMA!**  
Money back without question. If RUPY'S OINTMENT fails in the treatment of ITCH, ECZEMA, RINGWORM, TETTER or other itching skin diseases. Price 50c at druggists, or direct from R. D. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Tex.

**On Will Training.**  
The magazines advertise many books on will training. Each of them promises to heal the sick self, to strengthen the feeble knees, to turn the poor in heart into dominating personalities, to make live wires out of hard bound brains. Pleasant is the picture, very pleasant and alluring, which these advertisements paint of the future. Your inhibitions shall be cast out of you, they shall perhaps enter into your Gadarene competitors, who shall be driven violently down a steep place into the sea, leaving your once faint heart free to win fair wages. Unless, indeed, your competitors happen to better their wills by buying and reading the same books, in which case the future looks less clear.—The New Republic.

**A Ready-Witted Parson.**  
The evening lesson was from the Book of Job and the minister had just read: "Yea, the light of the wicked shall be put out," when immediately the church was in total darkness. "Brethren," said the minister with scarcely a moment's pause, "in view of this prophecy, we will spend a few minutes in silent prayer for the electric lighting company."—Boston Transcript.

Love at first sight may eventually cause the victims to wish they had consulted an oculist.

## Preparing for Tomorrow

Many people seem able to drink coffee for a time without apparent harm, but when health disturbance, even though slight, follows coffee's use, it is wise to investigate.

Thousands of homes, where coffee was found to disagree, have changed the family table drink to

## Instant Postum

With improved health, and it usually follows, the change made becomes a permanent one. It pays to prepare for the health of tomorrow.

"There's a Reason"

## TO DRIVE AMBULANCE



Mrs. Blanche Shoemaker Wagstaff, a prominent author and poet, is going to France to drive an ambulance with a hospital on the British front. Mrs. Wagstaff will be a valuable addition to the hospital, being as capable at repairing her machine as she is at driving it. She is an expert mechanic and a crack motorcyclist.

## DOG'S RESCUE EFFORT FAILS

Collie, Plunging Into River, Vainly Tries to Hold Up Body of His Master.

Westfield, Mass.—Joseph Wrogowsky, seven years old, was drowned in the Westfield river at Red Rock after his collie, Fluff, twice tried to bring the boy to shore.

Joseph and his nine-year-old brother, William, were playing on the bank. Joseph slipped into the river. The dog plunged in, got the lad's collar in a firm grip and tried desperately to paddle ashore. The boy dragged the dog under until Fluff was forced to come up



## PAID OUT \$4,000 WITHOUT RESULTS

Tried Treatment for Three Years  
but Couldn't Get Relief.

## HER HEALTH RESTORED

"Even My Own Folks Are Astonished  
That I Am Able to Do My  
Housework," Says Mrs.  
Blalock.

One of the most sensational statements yet published in connection with Tanlac, was made by Mrs. V. Blalock, residing at 104 Crawford street, Houston, Texas, a few days ago, who said:

"I suffered so much from rheumatism and stomach trouble for the past three years that I became despondent and sometimes felt that life was hardly worth living. I had a distressed feeling in my stomach no matter what or how little I ate. My chest was full of pain, my heart acted peculiar and I could hardly get my breath at times. I was tired all the time and felt so weak and miserable that I could hardly stand on my feet.

"Do you know I spent something like four thousand dollars during those three years for treatments and medicines of various kinds but found no relief. I started taking Tanlac and began to improve with the first few doses and even my own folks are now astonished that I am able in so short a time to do my own housework. Somehow it just seemed to suit my case exactly and it makes me happy to think how perfectly my health is being restored. I can eat anything I want now, and am not troubled any more with shortness of breath or other signs of indigestion. I have already gained five pounds in weight and am improving every day."

There is a Tanlac dealer in your town.—Adv.

The Trouble.  
"What's looking so blue about, old top?"

"Oh, my wife wants more clothes, though till the year her wardrobe has been oversubscribed."

It is the easiest thing in the world to apologize, especially when you don't mean it.

## Don't Poison Baby.

**F**ORTY YEARS AGO almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and a FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death." The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. **CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS**, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*.

## LOOKED LIKE INVERTED RAIN

Bullets From Machine Guns Gave Odd  
Impression to Aviator at Whom  
They Were Aimed.

It will be easily understood, writes Mr. C. G. Grey in "Tales of the Flying Service," that before a bullet that has been shot straight upward begins to fall there must be a point where it stands dead still, and that for the last part of its upward path it travels very slowly. One officer of my acquaintance told me, after some months of war, that his most curious experience was when once, and once only, he discovered the exact extreme range point. He was flying along quite peacefully on a bright sunny morning at an altitude of a little over 8,000 feet, without worrying about anything, when suddenly he saw something bright dart past the side of the machine. He began to look about him and saw, a shade below him and a trifle to one side, a whole stream of little bright things glittering in the sun.

Then he realized that he had just struck a level that happened to be the extreme vertical range of a machine gun that was making uncommonly good shooting. Other bullets from rifles and other machine guns also flashed into view as he flew along, and when his eyes caught the right focus he could follow the slow, topmost part of their movement for a considerable distance. "It looked," he said, "just as if it were raining upward," and the phenomenon was so novel that he quite forgot for a time that the "raindrops" indicated that he was unpopular with someone below.—Youth's Companion.

Amsterdam has 628,408 inhabitants.

## POST TOASTIES are the newest and best in corn flakes



## Have a Private Latch Key.

A teacher in an Indiana school says that she used to think there was a chance for careful, sanitary folk to escape germs, but since holding an examination recently she has given up hope. In this examination the question was asked:

"What are bacteria, and how do they enter the body?"

And one eighth-grade pupil gave the discouraging answer:

"Bacteria is germs, and they get into the human body by means of a rusty nail."—Indianapolis News.

## HAVE SOFT, WHITE HANDS

Clear Skin and Good Hair by Using  
Cuticura—Trial Free.

The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. Besides these fragrant, super-creamy emollients prevent little skin troubles becoming serious by keeping the pores free from obstruction. Nothing better at any price for all toilet purposes.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

## In Our Boarding House.

"That new couple look as if they had some guilty secret."

"They have."

"Huh?"

"They kept house once, but they don't want to do anything that will add to the landlady's power by letting her know they didn't make a success of it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

## At the Woman Tailor's.

"What's all the excitement?"

"Oh, there's a pretty girl in that tailoring place having a fit."

## THIS IS THE AGE OF YOUTH.

You will look ten years younger if you darken your ugly, grizzly, gray hairs by using "La Creole" Hair Dressing.—Adv.

Everybody believes in signs when he pays 10 cents to get into the side show.

Sore Eyes, Blood-Shot Eyes, Watery Eyes, Sticky Eyes, all healed promptly with night applications of Roman Eye Balsam. Adv.

Italy in 1916 produced 1,485,827 tons of sugar beets.

## HAPPENINGS IN STATE CAPITAL

HEALTH DEPARTMENT ACTIVE IN  
LOOKING AFTER SANITARY  
WORK OVER STATE.

## MANY PASS EXAMINATION

Examiners Announce List of Those  
Who Passed Medical Test—Gov-  
ernor Paroles Twelve.

—Montgomery.

According to the State Board of Health, the activities of its employees for the past several days have been largely in sanitation matters, though sources of water supply have different places.

Eugene Smith has been conferring with army officers in regard to the water supply for cantonments, and is in Dadeville to pass on the new sanitary sewerage system.

Dr. H. G. Perry is in Bay Minette, assisting in a health campaign.

Dr. P. P. Salter has just finished the survey at Fort Payne, in which a sanitary scavenger system has been inaugurated and the town cleaned up. It is said there was a typhoid outbreak in the town about two months ago, which has been entirely controlled.

Dr. Hill has been making satisfactory progress with a sanitary survey of Etowah county, and work is projected for Oneonta, Albertsville, Boaz and Brewton.

## Main Young Men Pass Examination.

The Examining Board of the Alabama Medical Association announced the following list of successful applicants:

Luthern Thornberry Young, Atlanta; Abram Raymond Haisfield, Albany; John Ralph Morgan, Heflin; Wyatt Thomas Burkett, Pansey; Burtis Olson Hall, Albertville; Samuel Sellers Underwood, Anniston; Charles A. Judson McPherson (colored), Wedowee; Carly Thomas Jones, Mobile; Burton Forsythe Austin, Mobile; Hillie Robert Dykes, Mobile; John Deatur Dyrden, Montgomery; John Duke Sherrill, Birmingham; John Morgan Rayan, Birmingham; Joseph Walker Hughes, Birmingham; Paul Titance Young, Vernon; Robert Emmet Dixon, Tuscaloosa; Lewis Edmond Sorrell, Birmingham; Thomas Owen Gamble, Birmingham; John Thomas Ellis, Dothan; Thomas Gaines Norton, Russellville; Fred Crenshaw, Opelika; Monte Leroy Moore, Mount Vernon; John Coleman Bragg, Birmingham; Joseph F. Rowe, Mobile; Floydian Franklin Owen Lawrence, Havana; Benjamin Franklin Thomas, Salem; William Richard Rousseau, Mobile; Frank White McCorkle, Pittsburg, Ala.; Mercer Rowe, Mobile; George Eason Blue, Montgomery; Milner Hubbard Eskew, Selma; James Edgar Bell, Waterford, Missa.

## Governor Gives Freedom to 12.

Governor Henderson granted paroles to two negroes and restored civil rights to ten white men.

Earnest Odien, Chilton county negro, sent up in 1911 for alleged murder in the second degree, and Bud Huffman, sent up from Jefferson county in 1915, for the alleged deception and concealment of stolen property, are paroled subject to future conduct.

The following white men have been granted restoration of citizenship: Ed die Hoyle, Coosa county, convicted in 1905 of alleged manslaughter; Thomas Mimms, Chilton county, convicted in 1913 of alleged manslaughter; Will Davis, Sumter county, convicted in 1913 of alleged manslaughter; Elbert Hickey, Clay county, convicted of alleged burglary in 1914; Davis Chambliss, Baldwin county, convicted of alleged adultery in 1900; John D. Gore, Marengo county, convicted of alleged embezzlement in 1908; John Chancellor, Geneva county, convicted of alleged adultery in 1915; M. D. Gray, Cleburne county, convicted in 1911 of alleged petit larceny; Hiram L. Tibbets, Dallas county, pleaded guilty to embezzlement in 1913; J. W. Herrin, Walker county, convicted of alleged grand larceny in 1915.

## Dent's Bill Endorsed.

A meeting of the State Highway Association held at the Exchange Hotel passed a resolution endorsing a bill introduced in the House by Congressman Dent, to appropriate the sum of \$250,000 for preliminary investigations and in preparation of plans and reports as to a system of military highways throughout the United States.

## Requisition Papers Granted.

Governor Henderson honored a requisition from Governor Catts, of Florida, for Will Boyd.

## Many Charters Granted.

Papers of incorporation filed with the Secretary of State are as follows: Johnson and Barry Steel Company, with a capital of \$2,000 all paid in and a subsequent notice dated July 2, increasing the capital stock to \$50,000. The incorporators are: W. N. Johnson, J. J. Barry, Sarah H. Johnson and Mable G. Barry. The company will manufacture steel products.

The Seminole Investment Company sent in notice dated July 10 of an increase in capital stock from \$10,000 to \$50,000.

# STOP CALOMEL! TAKE DODSON'S LIVER TONE

New Discovery! Takes Place of Dangerous Calomel—It Puts Your Liver To  
Work Without Making You Sick—Eat Anything—It Can Not  
Salivate—Don't Lose a Day's Work!

I discovered a vegetable compound that does the work of dangerous, sickening calomel and I want every reader of this paper to try a bottle and if it doesn't straighten you up better and quicker than salivating calomel just go back to the store and get your money.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your thirty feet of bowels of the sour bile and constipation poison which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable.

I guarantee that one spoonful of this harmless liquid liver medicine will relieve the headache, biliousness, coated tongue, ague, malaria, sour stomach or any other distress caused by a torpid liver as quickly as a dose of vile, nauseating calomel, besides it will not make you sick or keep you from

a day's work. I want to see a bottle of this wonderful liver medicine in every home here.

Calomel is poison—it's mercury—it attacks the bones, often causing rheumatism. Calomel is dangerous. It sickens—while my Dodson's Liver Tone is safe, pleasant and harmless. Eat anything afterwards, because it can not salivate. Give it to the children because it doesn't upset the stomach or shock the liver. Take a spoonful tonight and wake up feeling fine and ready for a full day's work.

Get a bottle! Try it! If it doesn't do exactly what I say, tell your dealer to hand your money back. Every druggist and store keeper here knows me and knows of my wonderful discovery of a vegetable medicine that takes the place of dangerous calomel.—Adv.

## PARAFFIN CAN BE CLEANED

Do Not Throw It Away Because It  
Has Become Dirty, Says Specialist  
of Agricultural Department.

Paraffin that has become unclean through usage in canning and preserving may be cleaned and reused.

Don't throw it away because dirt and trash have become mixed with it. Many times it can be cleaned with a brush in cold water.

If this does not remove all the dirt, says a specialist of the United States department of agriculture, heat the paraffin to boiling and strain it through two or three thicknesses of cheesecloth placed over a funnel, or a thin layer of absorbent cotton over one thickness of cheesecloth may be used as the strainer.

One straining should be sufficient ordinarily, but if the paraffin still is unclean, heat and strain again. Any paraffin lodging in the strainer may be recovered by heating the cloth and pouring the hot liquid into another strainer.

## Girls! Use Lemons! Make a Bleaching, Beautifying Cream

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quarter pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smoothen and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It naturally should help to soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is simply marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands. Adv.

## That Solemn Expression.

Two sailors were coming along the sidewalk just as a newly married couple came out of the church to enter an automobile. Said one sailor: "There goes another poor devil launched upon the sea of matrimony."

"Yes," said the other, "and he looks as if he expected to strike a mine any minute."—Boston Transcript.

## NO MALARIA—NO CHILLS.

"Plantation" Chill Tonic is guaranteed to drive away Chills and Fever or your money refunded. Price 50c.—Adv.

## Outclassed.

"Does your dog ever growl?"

"No. He knows that my husband has him hopelessly outclassed."

Good health depends upon good digestion. Safeguard your digestion and you safeguard your health. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills provide the safeguard. A medicine as well as a purgative. Adv.

Love isn't blind. A girl in love can see ten times more in the object of her affection than anyone else can.

## DON'T GAMBLE

that your heart's all right. Make sure. Take "Renovine"—a heart and nerve tonic. Price 50c. and \$1.00.—Adv.

What the kaiser can't get he is willing that others shouldn't have.

Some men drink for the shakes and others shake for the drinks.

# WINTERSMITH'S CHILL TONIC

Sold for 47 years. For Malaria, Chills and Fever. Also  
a Fine General Strengthening Tonic. 50c and \$1.00 at all Drug Stores.

## Such Is Life.

"George," she said, "am I really and truly your little popsy wopsy?"

"The sweetest peachy weachy in existence," declared George.

"And you've never, never loved another girl?"

"There isn't another girl in the world worth a thought, sweet."

"What makes you love me so, George?"

"Just because I can't help it, precious!"

"Am I an angel, George?"

"An elf, petrie. The daintiest little fairy that ever drew breath."

"Oh, my true knight!" she sighed.

"Good night. Good night."

And five minutes later the daintiest little fairy that ever drew breath was snapping ma's head off because the bread and cheese and pickled onions were not laid out for supper; whilst the true knight was whispering sweet nothings to the golden-haired barmaid at the Fan and Feathers, and asking her if she had a fancy to go to the pictures next Friday.—Londo Tit-Bits.

## Tetterine Conquers Poison Oak.

I enclose 50 cents in stamps for a box of Tetterine. I have poison oak on me again, and that is all that has ever cured it. Please hurry it on to

Montalba, Tex., May 21, 08.  
Tetterine cures Eczema, Tetter, Ring Worm, Itching Piles, Old Itching Sores, Dandruff, Chills and every form of Scap and Skin Disease. Tetterine 50c; Tetterine Soap 25c. Your druggist, or by mail from the manufacturer, The Shuptrine Co., Savannah, Ga.

With every mail order for Tetterine we give a box of Shuptrine's 10c Liver Pills free. Adv.

## He Was Sorry He Spoke.

"Why, you women ought to be thankful that you do not live in foreign countries, where they yoke up women with mules and make them pull together," said a rough opponent of woman suffrage to a gentle, but strident-minded suffragist.

"You are married, are you not?" she asked.

"Yes!" he snapped.

"Well," she rejoined, "then foreign countries are not the only ones in which women are yoked with mules."

## At the Summer Resort.

Stella—Hello, Frank.

Bella—Now, there you go calling him Frank. I am his fiancée and I want you to understand, dearie, that I am the only one around here who has the Franking privilege.

Spartan Women Suffered Untold Tortures but who wants to be a Spartan? Take "Femenina" for all female disorders. Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

## The Lost Words.

"I shan't waste any words on you."

"If you use any at all on me you will."

The reason the big fish always gets away is because he is usually cleverer than the fisherman.

If Worms or Tapeworm persist in your system, it is because you have not yet tried the real Vermifuge, Dr. Peery's "Dead Shot." One dose does the work. Adv.

World in 1916 produced 560,047,702 tons of raw silk.

## Sore Granulated Eyelids, Eyes Inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Druggists or by mail 50c per Bottle. Murine Eye Salve in Tubes 25c. For Book of the Eye FREE ask Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago

## Safe Advertising.

An Amsterdam avenue delicatessen dealer has reached the pinnacle of advertising ingenuity in his efforts to sell more eggs than his competitors. His window displays the following sign:

"Guaranteed fresh eggs 52 cents a dozen. Five cents for each bad egg returned."

The risibilities unconsciously rise at the thought of a respectable gentleman walking along Amsterdam avenue carrying an egg that has been boiled and in the process of breaking for breakfast has displayed unmistakably vicious tendencies. Inquiry at the shop revealed that the proprietor has yet to pay out the first nickel for a returned egg, and he still insists that the advertising idea is a good one.—New York Sun.

If worrying would keep a woman thin, there would be no fat women.

United States army has bought 4,000 Lewis machine guns.

**ABSORBINE**  
TRADE MARK REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.  
Reduces Bursal Enlargements, Thickened, Swollen Tissues, Cuts, Filled Tendons, Soreness from Bruises or Strains; stops Spavin Lameness, always pain. Does not blister, remove the hair or lay up the horse. \$2.00 a bottle at druggists or delivered. Book 1 M free. **ABSORBINE, JR.**, for mankind—an antiseptic liniment for bruises, cuts, wounds, strains, painful, swollen veins or glands. It heals and soothes. \$1.00 a bottle at druggists or postpaid. Will tell you more if you write. Made in the U. S. A. by W. F. YOUNG, P. O. F., 310 Temple St., Springfield, Mass.

Every Woman Wants  
**Paxtine**  
**ANTISEPTIC POWDER**  
FOR PERSONAL HYGIENE  
Dissolved in water for douches stops pelvic catarrh, ulceration and inflammation. Recommended by Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co. for 30 years. A healing wonder for nasal catarrh, sore throat and sore eyes. Economical. Has extraordinary cleaning and germicidal power. Sample Free. 5c. all druggists, or postpaid by mail. The Paxtine Tonic Company, Boston, Mass.

**GREEN MOUNTAIN  
ASTHMA  
TREATMENT**  
Standard remedy for fifty years and result of many years experience in treatment of throat and lung diseases by Dr. J. H. Guild.  
**Free Sample and Practical Treatise on Asthma**, its cause, treatment, etc., sent upon request, 25c. & \$1.00 at druggists. J. H. GUILD CO., Rupert, Vt.

**DR. TANNER'S  
FAMOUS DYSPEPSIA TABLETS**  
Quick Relief for Belching and Stomach Gases. Always Successful—Suffer No More. Obtainable by mail only—25c, 50c and \$1.00. **DR. TANNER REMEDY CO.** P. O. BOX 5093 BOSTON, MASS.

**OLD FALSE TEETH WANTED**  
We pay \$2 to \$15 per set for old false teeth. Doesn't matter if broken. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. Bank reference. Master's Tooth Specialty, 207 S. Fifth St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Here is the one live agent's seller of the year. Needed in every home, office and factory. Sells on sight. A sure repeater. 100% profit. Send a postal for free particulars. H. E. SLUSSER & CO., VEEDERSBURG, IND.

**BARGAINS IN STAMPS** 25c brings you a fine lot for selection. Write for free lists. F. TOBI, Palo Alto, California.

W. N. U., Birmingham, No. 31-1917.



## THE ALABAMA Girls Technical Institute

MONTEVALLO, - - - ALABAMA

Is the best place for training in Home Economics, Music, Art, for State Teacher's Certificate in Grade and High School subjects, for Bookkeeping and Stenography, for preliminary work for Red Cross Nurse, for Institutional Management, and for general literary culture.

*Boarding Accommodations and Health Conditions Are the Best.*

LOWER RATES THAN ELSEWHERE

WRITE FOR CATALOG TO  
President T. W. Palmer

## RUTABAGAS and Cowpeas

PLANT THEM TO KEEP HUNGER AWAY!

THE SOUTH MUST FEED ITSELF. Alabama must feed herself. We in Shelby should feed ourselves. We in the Montevallo neighborhood should feed ourselves, but should have something to share with our neighbors.

FLEISHMAN'S YEAST received every Tuesday and Friday and kept in ice box. It is unequaled for making good bread and rolls. Leading bakers everywhere use Fleishman's Yeast. You get it fresh at my store.

**W. L. Brown**  
Montevallo, Ala.

## Plant Peas

AND RUTABAGAS NOW!

Our country needs FOOD CROPS. Peas and Rutabaga Turnips yield well, are sound, healthful food, and are worth a Good Price. Keep hunger away from America by planting peas and rutabagas. Now is the season for it.

**C. L. MERONEY & CO.**

MONTEVALLO, : ALABAMA.

## CALERA LOCALS

Calera, Alabama, Aug. 2, 1917.  
Mr. Max Kolodner is looking after his mercantile affairs in Leed.

Messrs. B. F. Stubbs and 'Gene Holcombe, working out of Birmingham as long-distance telephone linemen, are in Calera to-day.

Mrs. O. H. Davis is in Montgomery attending the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Boockholdt, who is in an infirmary in that city, sick with typhoid.

Mr. E. O. Martin and wife of Ashland were here today. Mr. Martin is telegraph operator for the Western Union and is now taking his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Kolodner and Mr. O. H. Davis made a very pleasant motor trip to Montgomery Sunday and visited Mr. Kolodner's brother, Charles, who is now a member of Troop C, First Alabama Cavalry.

Miss Lucy Martin has accepted a position as night telephone operator for the Southern Bell Telephone Company, Miss Teresa Aldridge, who is now a clerk in the Central State Bank, having resigned as night operator.

Miss Lessie Martin and Mrs. Mamie Adams were in Tuscaloosa visiting friends the first of the week. Miss Lessie is now enjoying a vacation, and her position in Mr. Kolodner's dry goods establishment is being filled, temporarily, by Miss Annie Mae Campbell.

The brick work on the new building of the Wade Motor Company is now completed and Mr. W. M. Chism is putting in a nice concrete floor. The Wade Motor Company is now one of the largest business concerns in Calera and is truly a handsome building. The sales department is in charge of Miss Janie Branham, the machine shop is under the management of Mr. L. R. Smith of Montgomery, and I understand Mr. Wade is now looking for a man to take charge of the new storage department.

**E. G. GIVHAN**  
Physician

OFFICE IN ELLIS BUILDING  
MONTEVALLO, ALA.

**J. I. REID**  
Physician

Office: 2nd floor Ellis Building  
MONTEVALLO, ALA.  
Telephone: Residence, 47J; office, 30

**CHAS. T. ACKER**  
Physician

Office: New Ellis Building (over Brown's Grocery Store). Residence 'phone, 32. Office 'phone, Strong's Drug Store.

**W. J. MITCHELL**  
DENTIST

OFFICE IN NEW ELLIS BUILDING  
(up stairs)  
Montevallo, Alabama

**MISS BESSIE ALLEN**  
Magazines and Dailies  
Montevallo, Ala.

Your order filled for any club or special offer given by any publisher or agency. Catalog of prices on request.

**Kendrick's  
Barber Shop**

At W. H. Mitchell's old stand

I will take pleasure in giving you easy, velvet shaves, up-to-date haircuts, shampoos, etc.

**Hot and Cold Baths**

**GEORGE KENDRICK**  
Montevallo, Alabama

THE  
**Finest Flour**

IS MADE IN MONTEVALLO

**At the Comer Mill**

Which is now being operated under the management of Mrs. J. W. Comer.

The mill is running every day, and Mrs. Comer is anxious to grind your wheat and convert it into some of the best flour you ever ate.

Since Mr. Comer's death the mill is being run the same as ever.

## BEST TIME TO SOW OATS

Early Fall Sowing is Recommended as Best Time.

By J. F. Duggan, Director of Extension Service.

Prepared by Extension Service, Auburn, Ala.

Many farmers are afraid to sow oats early lest the plants should reach the tender booting stage before the last freeze comes in February or the early part of March. But for every single instance where oats are sown too early, there are hundreds of cases where they are sown too late in the fall to afford the largest possible yield.

Speaking in a general way, we prefer for grain production to sow red rust proof varieties in October in central Alabama. The sowings made here in September are usually satisfactory, but such early sown grain may seed to be judiciously grazed during dry periods in winter to prevent the plants reaching the booting stage before the last freeze of winter.

For grain production, but not for pasturage, the first few weeks in November constitute a satisfactory date for sowing oats in central Alabama, but oats sown late in November are more liable to be injured by cold in severe winters than October sown oats.

Our usual rule is to sow as soon as convenient in October and November, and to cease to sow oats on December 1st.

Oats sown even as late as November at Auburn have averaged 20 per cent more per acre in yield than the same variety sown in February on the same land with identical fertilizer.

## CURING COWPEA HAY

Time of Cutting is Important as Well as Method of Handling.

By E. F. Cauthen, Associate Agriculturist.

Prepared by Extension Service, Auburn, Ala.

To secure good cowpea hay, the cowpeas should be mowed when the earliest pods are straw-colored. The curing should be done in the shade as much as possible. If the mowing is delayed until all the pods are ripe, many of the leaves shed off and the stems become woody and less palatable; on the other hand, if the peas are mowed too early, the amount of juice is very great, curing is slow and difficult, and the quality of hay is not first class. Good peavine hay should be bright, free from dirt and weeds, thoroughly cured and have a good sprinkling of pods.

From five to ten days of favorable weather is required to make good cowpea hay—time depending upon rankness of growth, temperature and atmospheric conditions. After the dew has thoroughly dried off of the cowpeas in the morning, the mower should start to cutting. The hay should lie in the swath from 36 to 48 hours when it should be tedded if heavy; and if light, it may be cured sufficiently well to be raked into small long windrows. The curing in the windrow may be hastened by turning the hay over with the horse-rake at the end of the second day. At the end of the fourth day the peavines are usually ready to be thrown into cocks or on racks where its curing is finished.

The cock or racks should be carefully rounded up and capped over so that the tops will shed off water. A very convenient size cock is 200 pounds. The hay in the cock goes through a sweat which improves its quality. When you can run your hand into the rack or cock and find that the hay in the center is cool, dry and brittle like that on the surface, it is ready to be housed or baled.

**Pancho Reyes**

High Class Jack

Will make spring season at

"BIRD-WOOD FARM."

Colts, to stand and suck, \$10.00.  
Jack handled by owner.

**K. C. MAHAN**  
BRIERFIELD, ALA.

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No. 9 leaves at 6:40 p. m. for Selma.  
No. 120 arrives at 7:00 p. m. from Birmingham and Mobile

JOHN WHITE & CO.

LOUISVILLE, KY.

Liberal assortment and full value paid for raw FURS

Hides and Goat Skins



## SMOKERS Lose their taste

The nerve ends are numb—nothing tastes good. Smoking doesn't satisfy—he gets fidgety and jumpy and touchy. That's the time to "Whistle." A bottle of "Whistle" with its sparkle cuts the carbon from over the nerve ends and that good old smoke is gooder than ever.

Try the drink that tunes your body, and makes you feel like whistling.

BOTTLED "DRY" BY  
THE

**Montevallo Coca-Cola  
Bottling Company**  
Montevallo, Alabama.

C. L. MERONEY,  
PRESIDENT.

Wm. LYMAN,  
CASHIER.

W. H. LYMAN,  
ASST. CASHIER.

CAPITAL \$25,000.00

CHECKING ACCOUNTS  
SOLICITED

**Merchants & Planters  
BANK**  
Montevallo, Alabama.

## Don't Scotch The Wheels

If six of your neighbors delay our driver a few minutes he will be late in delivering your ice.

A little baby may be sick in the next block—the mother may be anxiously awaiting the ice man's arrival—every minute of delay is an hour of agony to that mother and suffering for the little one.

Don't you be one to delay the Ice man. Have the change ready—better still—have a coupon book, and keep it in a regular place. Help us to give to you and your neighbor PROMPT SERVICE.

**Montevallo Ice & Light Co.**

MONTEVALLO, ALA.



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## High Cost of Living

**B**RADSTREET maintains a careful record of prices. In 1896 the annual index number stood at \$5.9124. In 1916 the figure had increased to \$11.8251, which means that the price of the same kind of living has doubled in cost in 20 years.

Railroad service is an important item in the cost of living. Yet the record shows that the cost of living to railroads in general, and the L. & N. in particular, has increased tremendously, whereas the railroads now receive actually less for service than 20 years ago, and thus actually decreased the cost of living in so far as freight and passenger service enters into the cost of living.

In sixteen years L. & N. mileage increased 54 per cent.; yet expenses increased 122 per cent., labor increased 116 per cent., material and supplies increased 107 per cent. and taxes increased 174 per cent.

In the same sixteen years the L. & N. passenger rate per mile actually decreased 7.7 per cent., and the L. & N. freight rate per ton per mile actually decreased 10.8 per cent.

No business enterprise can continue to pay increases of from 50 per cent. to 175 per cent. for its material, supplies, labor and taxes and receive less for the service rendered. Even rigid economy, efficient management and volume of traffic will give way under the strain.

The L. & N., in common with the general public, has had to pay its 100 per cent. increase in the cost of living. But unlike the general public the L. & N. has not received increased revenue with which to pay the increased cost.

Government statistics show that railroad revenue per ton per mile in the South decreased 9.7 per cent., or a total of \$35,367,239 in a single year, whereas in the entire United States for 16 years the revenue per ton per mile increased .003 cents, or 4 1/2 per cent. In 16 years L. & N. earnings per ton per mile actually decreased 10.8 per cent.

The railroads of the South are entitled to consideration equal to that shown the railroads of other sections of the United States, and the L. & N. is entitled to consideration equal to that shown other Southern railroads.

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD CO.  
The Old Reliable

# L & N

## Montevallo Local Items

For good Taxicab call phone 21.

Mr. J. H. Davies was in Pell City Thursday.

Rev. W. F. Price, presiding elder of the Sylacauga District, was a visitor to Montevallo Monday.

Mr. A. E. Beasley of Wilton was here yesterday having Dr. Mitchell to regulate an offending tooth.

Mrs. James Middleton returned Tuesday from a 3-weeks visit to friends and relatives in Atlanta, Ga., and Charlotte, N. C.

We are still further indebted to Bro. D. W. Shivers for printable news and hope we are line for a continuance of his favors.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Owen, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Woolley, have returned to their home in Birmingham.

Dr. A. K. Parks and family left Thursday for Perryville, Ky., where they will spend several weeks visiting relatives. They will return to Montevallo about the 7th of September, we understand.

The friends of Mr. Joe Peters, a brother of Miss Marian Ella, will regret to learn that he is sick. Mr. Peters is now in Jacksonville, Fla., where he operates an agency for Bradstreet & Dun, we believe.

The son of Mr. J. P. Dykes of Dry Valley, who is hauling logs to the big coopeage mill at Calera, had his right eye put out Wednesday. The accident was caused by being hit in the eye by his whip lash as he was flourishing his whip.

Misses Louie and Roberta Latham and Mabel Hoskin attended a spend-the-day party at Aldrich Wednesday, being the guests of Miss Dorothy Clemons of that little city. All the young ladies reported a most enjoyable day, especially complimenting the hospitality of their charming hostess.

Mr. N. R. Newman of Selma has purchased the Lyric Theatre and has removed to Montevallo. Mr. Newman says the Lyric will be opened to the public Monday night.

Mr. John T. Ellis has a very pretty field of corn on his vacant lots near the Southern depot. He had the grit to do some of the plowing himself and we are glad to see he is going to be rewarded with a fine yield of corn.

We hear that Mr. W. C. Champlin is the busiest man in Montevallo. He is always beautifying that pretty bungalow or the grounds which surround it. Pretty homes make a pretty town, and there is comfort and satisfaction in living in a pretty town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cooper visited the latter's sister, Miss Stella Frederick, at Alexandria, near Anniston, the first of the week. We learn that Mr. Cooper will probably accept a position on the big dairy farm at Alexandria in a few days. His brother may take his job here.

Mr. L. A. Coats of Wilton has removed his family to Montevallo. They occupy the Wiley Rhodes residence near the Southern depot. Mrs. Coats has accepted a position at the Brown Bros. Canning Factory and Mr. Coats is employed with the A. G. T. I. delivery wagon. Glad to welcome them to our city.

Mr. Ware Foster of Montgomery, now a member of the Fourth Alabama Regiment Infantry Band, stationed in that city, is here on furlough visiting the family of Mr. C. E. Hoskin. Mr. Foster thinks that the Alabama boys will be in their great cantonment at Macon, Ga., by September 1st, and, after some training there, will be sent to the scene of battle "somewhere in France." All of his friends here wish him a safe and enjoyable voyage across the old Atlantic, but hope he may soon be able to return to his Uncle Sam, where he may enjoy the very best of everything that can be found in the world.

Mr. M. P. Jeter and family left Wednesday on a visit to friends and relatives at different points in Alabama. They will first stop in Selma, where they will visit Mrs. Jeter's sister, Mrs. Clyde Day. They will then visit relatives at Thomas-ton and Gallion. At the latter place they will visit Mr. Jeter's sister, Mrs. Collins. We wish for them a very pleasant visit and a happy vacation.

Mr. L. C. Horn has accepted a position as foreman at the Brown Bros. Canning Factory. It is a pleasure to relate that this factory continues to can a big amount of farm and garden produce and that Mr. Brown is disposing of it at profitable figures. We understand that the factory has recently canned ten thousand cases of different products. Is not that good for a new industry in Montevallo?

Mr. E. B. McGlocklin was out at the pretty farm home of Mr. S. A. Curry, Sr., Sunday. He reports that Mr. Curry has magnificent crops, a lot of fine hogs and other stock, and that it is delightful to see the many evidences of thrift and comfort at Mr. Curry's home. Incidentally, Mr. McGlocklin had the good fortune to bring away a gallon of good old-fashioned, home-made, sorghum syrup.

Mr. J. F. Kendrick of Selma was here Thursday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Kendrick. The young gentleman is express messenger on the Southern between Selma and Mobile, and he says that owing to recent schedule changes he may have to move his residence from Selma to Mobile. That city is now elated over the big ship yards to be built there by the T. C. I. Company. The Mobile Register relates, too, that Mobile and Baldwin counties have recently produced a million dollars worth of farm and garden truck. The development of Mobile means the development of Alabama.

Mr. W. W. Blake of Calera was here Tuesday on the Standard Oil

Company's wagon, driving a magnificent pair of white mules. If some of our farmers should take as good care of their stock as Standard Oil does they might make some of the dollars that coin fame for John D. Rockefeller. Mr. Blake has disposed of his grocery business at Calera to Mr. S. M. Tomlin and has accepted a job driving one of Standard Oil's two wagons out of Calera. Mr. C. L. McCutchen having charge of the other. We think the Standard's stock, as well as their oil trade, will be handsomely cared for by these two gentlemen.

The post office building of this city has been much improved by the skillful application of the paint brush in the hands of Mr. Edgar Cary. All the wood-work, the walls and exteriors of the lock boxes, and even the handy bill boards, have been revitalized with fresh paint. Uncle Sam knows human nature and he knows his various nephews and nieces appreciate the virtue of cleanliness and good looks, and he appreciates their regard. Hurrah for Uncle Sam! Here's wishing him a long life with Woodrow, and hoping he may soon be able to paint the whole town, not red, but white! And if all Americans had as high regard for the eternal verities as Mr. Wilson we believe the happy event would soon occur.

Messrs. W. D. Bearden and Amos Acker, two prominent citizens of Columbiana, were here yesterday looking at our flour mill and interviewing different citizens as to the advisability of putting up a flour mill and mill for grinding beans and stock feed at Columbiana. With farmers devoting more attention to wheat and grain, and with the Government calling on Alabama to grow its own bread, it may be very necessary for Columbiana to build a flour mill. We are told that the Southern Railway brings in quantities of wheat to the Montevallo mill every day, and that, besides this, different wagons are constantly bringing wheat to Montevallo to be turned into the good flour for which the Comer mill is famous.

## M. E. Missionary Society

The Methodist Woman's Missionary Society will meet Monday afternoon, August 13th, at 3:30, at the home of Mrs. E. F. Mulkey.

## Episcopal Services

Rev. Luther G. H. Williams will conduct religious services and will preach at the Episcopal Church on Sunday, August 12th, at 11 a. m.

## Good Milk Cow for Sale

I have a good milk cow to sell. She gives three gallons of milk per day, running on range. Calf is four weeks old. Fine cow in good condition and will be sold for only \$50. D. H. MITCHELL, Montevallo.

## License Tag 3866

Mr. J. A. Mahan of Clanton, who is now employed here, lost his automobile license tag, No. 3866, last Wednesday. Mr. Mahan says the tag was lost on the road, either between Montevallo and Wilton, or between Montevallo and Calera.

The finder will please leave the tag at the Latham Mercantile Co., in Montevallo.

## Hugh G. Henry, Jr.

Mr. Hugh G. Henry, Jr., a young man 25 years old, who was raised in Dry Valley, near Concord church, died in Birmingham Tuesday, with pneumonia, after an illness of only three or four days. The body was met at Calera Wednesday by a gathering of friends and relatives and conveyed to Providence cemetery, where interment occurred. The young man's father, Mr. Hugh G. Henry, Sr., who has done an extensive saw-mill business at Pleasant Hill and other South Alabama points, came up to attend the funeral of his son.

## Our Second Year Ends

With this issue the Advertiser completes the second year of its existence in the good town of Montevallo.

Its publication was begun under considerable difficulties, and with a heavy debt against it to the National Park Bank of New York. But the good people of Montevallo and our very kind and indulgent father, may he live forever!—came to our rescue, and though the clouds are dark on this world's horizon they are brighter on ours.

When first we came to this town we admired its great oaks, its picturesque setting in the hills, its

pretty homes, and the air of peace and comfort which seemed to abound here. We have been in many towns, from Virginia to Texas, but none of them,—save our boyhood home at Midway,—so charmed us as Montevallo.

The people of Montevallo have been true to the reputation of their city and have ever been kind to us with their patronage and their encouragement. Especially good have been Messrs. L. N. Nabors, C. L. Meroney and J. A. and W. L. Brown. If the Advertiser ever gets to be a big daily, with a battery of Linotypes and perfection presses we hope to sing a loud tune in honor of these good gentlemen. But almost every one has been gracious to the Advertiser.

We begin our third year here with a shortage of help, but with much improved financial prospects. If our strength holds out we hope we may yet make this paper a credit to the very creditable little city in which it has the honor to be published.

## Buys DeShazo Farm

Dr. J. T. Doster of the Doster-Northington Drug Company of Birmingham was here in his auto last Saturday. Dr. Doster has purchased the beautiful suburban home of Mr. George DeShazo for his son, Mr. White Doster, who will shortly occupy it. Mr. Doster will stock the place with cattle, build a silo and make other improvements, we believe. It is a charming place. We welcome him to Montevallo.

## Should Encourage Them

The Transmitter, a Richmond publication, tells some interesting things. It says we should not let the great war absorb all our interest and energy. The church will be needed when peace is declared, as never before. The Rev. Chas. M. Sheldon is quoted as saying: "The average minister is trying to fill a dozen positions, any one of which, compared with a position as superintendent of a railroad division, is a giant's task. And the railroad man receives for his one position five times what the minister gets."

It is doubtless true that the public is too exacting with the preachers. We should not expect a five thousand dollar efficiency on a five-hundred dollar salary. Don't forget how trying, how arduous, how difficult and complex the average minister's duties are, and that without your whole-souled cooperation he can never fulfill them efficiently. We should not expect every sermon he preaches to be the kind of sermon we like. Our tastes may be wrong; our judgment may be in error, and, as Christians, we should not forget to extend that charity which we welcome for ourselves.

However, we are sure that all men of all avocations feel the sting of public criticism and the biting lack of public sympathy. "Man born of woman is of few days and full of trouble." Farmers who rise to their labors before day feel the lack of public sympathy. Merchants who struggle with long rows of figures and worry over bad accounts envy the farmer's independence and feel the lack of public sympathy. So do school teachers and coal miners and even bankers.

The truth is, we all care too little about each other. This indifference sometimes amounts to positive insanity. That's what plunged England and Germany into a debating society, with "big guns" for arguments. Not a comfortable mode of reasoning.

But if there is any class of citizens who merit our sympathy and our most cordial support it is the men who fill our pulpits and direct our steps toward the Better Land. We feel that Montevallo is especially blessed in the personnel of her different pastors, and we believe every citizen should loyally, wholeheartedly and with admiration support and encourage them.

It's easy to criticize but hard to be a constructive factor for good.

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ROOMS AND BOARD.—For rooms, or rooms and board, apply to Mrs. Skinner.

## PREPARING HOGS FOR MARKET

Peanut Fed Hogs Make Excellent Meat When Finished on Feed For Hardening Off.

By J. T. Watt,  
State Agent for Alabama.

Prepared by Extension Service, Auburn, Ala.

I believe all the farmers in Alabama would grow hogs for sale if they understood how to market them. As a general rule, the mistake made in pork producing is in the marketing of the hog. The first mistake the farmer makes is in not putting his hog in condition for market at the right age. The hog that is intended for the slaughter house should never see his birthday. In other words, taxes should not be paid on hogs. They should be farrowed after taxes have been assessed and slaughtered before tax-paying time. Of course, we need a packing house to market these hogs through; but, in the absence of a packing house, the farmer can butcher the hog and pack the meat on his farm and sell the cured product at a premium over western packing house meat. This is being done successfully in several sections of the South, and can be done in Alabama. To do this successfully you must have co-operation and organization. By having co-operation you establish a uniform type in a county, and a standard grade for your hams, bacon and lard. Put only the best grade of hams and bacon on the market—and you can make the best in the world—put your county brand on the product, advertise it, sell it under a guarantee until your trade is established; and when the consumer finds out what fine flavored bacon, and magnificent, juicy hams can be produced in Alabama, they will buy only Alabama-raised hams.

A combination of rape, peanuts and sweet potatoes, with corn added two weeks before butchering, makes the finest flavored bacon and hams in the world. "They always taste like more." If the packing house will not pay you the market price for your hogs, because they are peanut-fed, butcher them yourself, and advertise your meat as peanut-fed, and it will command a premium over corn-fed packing house hogs.

The hog crop in Alabama is the best cash crop as a substitute for cotton, and is as quick as cotton. Conditions are such that we can produce pork in Alabama cheaper than in any other place in the world. In every section of the United States where there is an abundance of hogs farmers are prosperous, money is plentiful and land mortgages are not on record.

## HASTENING GERMINATION OF SOUTHERN BUR CLOVER

Boiling Seed Secures Better Stand and Makes Later Planting Possible.

By H. B. Tisdale, Assistant in Agriculture.

Prepared by Extension Service, Auburn, Ala.

Before the seed of Southern bur clover are planted they should be boiled for one minute. This is necessary in order to hasten germination and to secure a good stand.

Three vessels containing water, and a pot of boiling water, are necessary for the treatment. The bags of bur, in convenient quantities for handling, are first placed in vessel No. 1 containing cool water and rinsed in order to remove the bacteria for reinoculation. Then the seed are placed for a few minutes in vessel No. 2, containing hot water, to prevent sudden fall of temperature in the boiling water. The seed are then placed in the boiling water and boiled for one minute, after which they are placed in vessel No. 3, containing cold water.

## \$5,000 Reward

ARREST that man at sight! and run him down to the

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Where I can put him to sleep with a Nancy Hanks razor,—and wake him up with a hot towel, and doll him up so his wife can meet him with a smile.

I solicit your business upon a basis of EFFICIENCY

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## PRODUCE MAN IS ENTHUSIASTIC NOW

Gwinn Declares Tanlac Saved Him From Complete Nervous Breakdown.

### GAINED THIRTY POUNDS

Tanlac Certainly Straightened Me Out, and I Believe It Will Do the Same for Anyone Who Suffers Like I Did.

"I am confident that Tanlac saved me from a nervous breakdown," said C. B. Gwinn, a well-known produce dealer of Amory, Miss., "and I have gained thirty pounds since taking it."

"For a long time I had been in a general rundown condition," he continued, "and suffered terribly from rheumatism. My whole system seemed to be on the decline. I couldn't sleep at night and in the morning I would feel fagged out like I hadn't been to bed at all. I got so I couldn't eat anything without having serious trouble. I had violent headaches and my nervous system was all disordered. The rheumatism was so severe that my muscles seemed drawn up in knots, and I lost a good deal in weight."

"I was persuaded to try Tanlac and it has made me eat and sleep better than I have been able to in years. My rheumatism is all gone and I feel strong and built up in every way. I look on myself as a well man today, for Tanlac certainly straightened me out and I believe it will do the same for anyone else who suffers like I did."

There is a Tanlac Dealer in your town.—Adv.

#### A Different Way.

"Concerning the muddle in his books, did the cashier clear it up?" "No; but he cleared out."

### CARE FOR YOUR SKIN

And Keep It Clear by Daily Use of Cuticura—Trial Free.

A hot bath with Cuticura Soap followed by a gentle anointing with Cuticura Ointment clears the skin or scalp in most cases of eczemas, rashes and itching of children and adults. Make Cuticura your every-day toilet preparations and prevent such troubles.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

#### Took Him Literally.

A clergyman in a remote part of the Scottish Highlands was speaking at length to his congregation of the many things round us that are shrouded in mystery and of which we know little. As he warmed to this theme, he became eloquent, and frequently repeated the oft-quoted saying of Goethe: "More light! Oh, for light!"

His surprise may be imagined, says the Scottish American, when, after one of these utterances, the old beadle, who had been dozing since the commencement of the sermon, woke with a start, then got up, tiptoed softly into the vestry, seized two additional candles and, ascending the pulpit stairs, placed them beside the two already there, and in a loud whisper, heard all over the church, exclaimed: "Ye maun do wi' these, for there's nae mair light!"—Youth's Companion.

#### Try This on Chiggers.

Colloidion is said to give relief from the irritation caused by the bites of chiggers. Colloidion is a solution of gun cotton in alcohol and ether. When it is applied to the skin, the alcohol and ether evaporate, leaving a colorless film which adheres to the skin. An application of colloidion is excellent treatment for hang nails. The bottle should be kept tightly corked.

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### A Perfect Day

should end—as well as begin—with a perfect food, say—

## Grape-Nuts

with cream.

A crisp, delicious food, containing the entire nutriment of whole wheat and barley, including the vital mineral elements, so richly provided by Nature in these grains.

Every table should have its daily ration of Grape-Nuts.

"There's a Reason"



## HIGHWAY ROUTE IS TO BE INSPECTED

ON AUGUST 13 BANKHEAD SCOUTING PARTY WILL START FROM ATLANTA.

### PREPARATIONS BEING MADE

Will Go Over Various Routes That Have Been Suggested Between Birmingham and Atlanta.

Anniston.—Preparations are being made for the big inspection trip of the official scouting party of the Bankhead Highway Association, which will go over the various routes that have been suggested between Birmingham and Atlanta. The party will meet in Atlanta August 13, and will arrive in Anniston August 14. The official party will be accompanied by the President, Colonel T. S. Plowman, Secretary J. A. Rountree and John W. O'Neal, Director, with other members of the Executive Board of the Bankhead Highway. Senator Bankhead has promised to be with the party if his duties in the Senate will permit him to leave. Present plans include the inspection of the Cedartown-Piedmont route August 14, with short stops at Dallas, Rockmart, Piedmont, Jacksonville and Borden Springs, and lunch at Cedartown. Committees from the various counties along the route will meet the party and escort them through their respective counties. The night will be spent in Anniston as the guests of the Anniston Chamber of Commerce.

August 15 will be spent on the Heflin-Tallapoosa-Southern Railway route. Stops will be made at Oxford, Edwardsville, Fruithurst, Ala., Waco, Bremen, Temple, Cilla Rica, Winston, Douglasville, Lithia Springs and Austell, Ga. The party will return to Villa Rica in the afternoon, and will be escorted to Sand Hill and thence to Carrollton, for the night. A banquet will be served at the Clifton Hotel, and next morning a 30 minutes' reception on the public square. Aug. 16, will be spent on the Carrollton route, with stops at Bowdon, and Ranburn, High Tower, Bell's Mill and Heflin, lunch at Bell's Mill.

### MURDERER PAYS PENALTY

Fisher Brooks, the Confessed Slayer of Mrs. Hess, Hanged.

Mobile.—Fisher Brooks, negro taxi driver, convicted for the brutal murder of Mrs. Julia May Hess, of Fulton, Ala., paid the death penalty on the gallows at day-break Friday morning. Brooks said nothing new and showed a spirit of bravery.

The crime for which Brooks was hanged, and for which Albert Sanders, another negro, also will pay the penalty of death on August 24, was committed early in the morning of May 21. Robbery apparently was the motive. Mrs. Julia May Hess was the wife of R. C. Hess, a locomotive engineer, of Fulton, Ala.

#### Child Labor Law Observed.

Huntsville.—The cotton mills of Huntsville are putting into effect the new child labor law which forbids the employment of any child under fourteen years of age and prohibits the employment of children over fourteen and under sixteen more than eight hours any one day and at any time at night. It is estimated that the aggregate number of children thrown out of employment in all of the mills of Huntsville is close to 850 and for the present, this will be a great hardship on some of the families.

#### More Recruits Sought in State.

Montgomery.—In the month of July 544 applicants were accepted by the United States army in Alabama, a record of enlistment that shatters all precedent, and sets a new mark for future endeavor. Alabama acquitted herself proudly, according to the opinion of Captain James B. Hutchinson, who gave out the statement, saying that the State went far ahead in the list, and that the record for July would serve as a stimulant for the recruiting party in the State.

#### Joint Ceremonial Being Planned.

Montgomery.—A gigantic joint ceremonial of the five shrines in Ohio and Alcazar Temple, Mystic Shrine, Montgomery, is planned for the early fall. Other temples in Alabama may be asked to participate in the big ceremonial. A class of 40 Masons from Dayton, Ohio, men who have not been enabled to take the Shrine degrees, will be put through by Alcazar Temple, and this arrangement brought about the plans for the joint ceremonial. The band and patrol of Antioch Temple, Dayton, will be brought here for the big event by Clarence Green, potentate of that temple.

#### Heavy Docket Disposed Of.

Pell City.—The non-jury term of the Circuit Court with Judge O. A. Steele presiding, has been in session all the past week and a large docket was disposed of.

#### Dr. Ross C. Speir Named Lieutenant.

Washington.—The war department announces the appointment of Dr. Ross C. Speir of Furman as lieutenant in the medical corps under orders to report to Fort Sam Houston, Tex. Dr. Speir is a member of the Alabama legislature.

### OBSERVE GOOD ROADS DAYS.

Alabama Association Is Quite Active in Pushing Preparations All Over State.

Montgomery.—Preparations to observe Good Roads Days in Alabama August 14 and 15 are being carried out in all parts of the State, and Probate Judges and State officials are cooperating in the formation of plans to observe these days in every section according to information sent to the Alabama Good Roads Association.

The Alabama Good Roads Association, which originated and promoted the movement to establish Good Roads Days in this State, is quite active in pushing the observance of these days to a success. Governor Henderson has already issued a proclamation, calling upon the citizens of the State to observe Good Roads Days. The Probate Judges in nearly every county in the State have issued proclamations and are writing to headquarters of Alabama Good Roads Association that they have not issued proclamations, but have issued addresses, directing the overseers of the public roads of their county to summon every able-bodied man that is subject to road duty to appear upon the public roads on Good Roads Days and work the roads. Circulars are being sent out by the Probate Judges, publicity is being given in the weekly newspapers, and every indication points to much enthusiasm throughout the State.

In addition to the proclamations that have been issued, the Alabama Rural Letter Carriers' Association, the Alabama Farmers' Union, as well as Alabama Good Roads Association, have all passed resolutions at their meetings this year, calling upon their members to observe Good Roads Days. The presidents of all these organizations have sent out special addresses, urging that these days be observed. A number of Chamber of Commerce and Civic Associations in different cities in the State are pushing the movement to observe these days in their respective towns and cities.

#### Miners May Order Walkout.

Birmingham.—The report of the policy committee of the United Mine Workers of America, Alabama District No. 20, calling on the men to cease work on August 20, if the operators do not meet them on or before August 15, was adopted. This means that upwards of 22,600 men will be called upon to lay down tools and cease work in the mines on August 20, Monday, in other words the strike will become effective practically on Saturday afternoon, August 18. So far as can be learned the coal operators will not confer with the miners. It is to be heard, however, that some of the business men of the city besides professional men will make an effort to bring the two interest together for a discussion of the contentions. A negro delegate reported to the convention that the Republic Iron and Steel Company, according to his information, was willing to advance wages, and give eight hours a day as a work day, but that the recognition of the union would not be granted. This may be a cue for some sort of settlement of difference. The adoption of the report of the Policy Committee was made with applause. The claim is made that organization has been perfected at all mines save four or five in the district.

#### Oil Company Formed.

Mobile.—The Harrietta Oil, Gas and Mineral Company was organized here with a capital stock of \$100,000, half of which is paid in. Incorporation papers will be filed shortly, it was said. The officers are: E. A. Boyer, Mobile and New York, President; D. H. Mill, Dunbar, Ill., Vice-President; H. L. Boyer, Mobile, New York, Secretary; G. F. Arvedsen, Carpentersville, Ill., Treasurer. The directors include the officers and H. A. Etheridge, Atlanta, and Dr. B. E. Marshall, Harrietta, Ala. President Boyer said the property holdings of the company consist of about 4,100 acres of land located near Chestang, Ala., recently surveyed, and a site selected for boring.

#### Anniston Boy in France.

Anniston.—Thomas E. Sparks, son of J. M. Sparks, who now lives near Oxford, is a former Anniston boy, who is now in France with Pershing's army. Mr. Sparks is in the Twenty-Sixth United States Infantry. A letter from Mr. Sparks, "somewhere in France," dated July 4, states that the American soldiers are enjoying themselves; that the health of the army is good, and their food satisfactory in quality and quantity. The only address given for reaching man in the army in France is the number of their regiment and the company, marked care of "Amexforce," Paris.

#### Herbert Hoover to Make Address.

Birmingham.—Announcement that Herbert C. Hoover, food expert, will deliver a lecture at the Jefferson Theater in Birmingham August 22 unless detained by official duties at Washington, has been made by Blanks Everett, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

#### Canning Census Planned.

Gadsden.—A census of the canned products of the city will be taken at the end of the canning season by the Civic League, according to plans announced. An effort will be made to determine the total number of cans of fruits and vegetables canned in the city during the present season.

#### Contract is Awarded.

Gadsden.—A local company has been awarded a contract to furnish doors and screens for the military camp at Anniston.

## IMPORTANT NEWS THE WORLD OVER

Happenings of This and Other Nations For Seven Days Are Given.

### THE NEWS OF THE SOUTH

What Is Taking Place in the Southland Will Be Found in Brief Paragraphs.

#### Domestic.

After a quarrel over the custody of a four-year-old child, John L. DeSaulles, former United States minister to Uruguay was shot and killed at his home at Roslyn, L. I., by his divorced wife, who was Miss Blauquinta Errazuriz of Santiago, Chile.

Chairman Kitchin, congressman from North Carolina, told the ways and means committee that "intolerable inequalities" in favor of the more prosperous have been written into the war tax bill by the senate finance committee. He declared the poor are already taxed to the limit, and that the rich must be forced to pay the further burdens of the war.

Fighting between draft rioters and officers is reported to be going on twenty-five miles north of Ada, Oklahoma.

Governor Williams of Oklahoma has received information at the Oklahoma City, the capital city that bands of negroes, tenant farmers and Indians have banded themselves together to defeat the selective service law in Oklahoma, and have spread a reign of terror in the central counties of the state.

The government is undecided what course to pursue in the Oklahoma resistance to the operation of the conscription law, but it seems possible that civilian companies, familiar with the country, which is rugged and choked with underbrush, will be organized and sent to settle the disturbance.

A Butte, Mont., telegram says that Frank Little, a member of the executive board of the I. W. W., who referred to United States troops as "Uncle Sam's scabs in uniform," was hanged to a tree in the outskirts of that city, and so far it is not known who the murderers are. Little was an outspoken labor leader.

America, great reservoir of fresh strength—men, money and materials—will turn the war tide, is the gratifying news flashed from the allied capitals to the big centers in the United States.

Federal Judge F. A. Youmans, in a decision at Fort Smith, Ark., held that the present standard form of contract used on the New York and New Orleans cotton exchanges does not comply with the provisions of the United States cotton futures act and, therefore, is illegal.

An ingenious American must again be given credit for another revolutionary invention, this time one which is calculated to upset the whole theory of artillery battles. The invention must be kept secret for obvious military reasons.

R. R. Moton, principal of Tuskegee institute, told two thousand negro employees of the Newport News (Va.) Shipbuilding and Dry Docks company that they have the opportunity which will make them soldiers as well as those on ships at sea or those in the trenches in Europe. He said that the negro is loyal; in fact, that his historic nature, well proven by his loyalty to the southern people in the Civil war.

The seventeen thousand men at the officers' training camps who will not receive commissions or be selected for further training at the second series of camps are to be offered appointments as non-commissioned officers in the national army, with the chance of promotion later to commissioned officers.

#### European.

A majority of the positions, to a depth at some points of two miles, taken by the allies in the advance in Flanders have been held by the Teutons since they first invaded Belgium.

John Annan Bryce, referring to the recent statement of Lord Robert Cecil, minister of blockade, that the dismemberment of Austria was not one of Great Britain's war aims, said that the statement would create difficulties because Great Britain's engagements with her allies could not be continued if the Austrian empire was to be maintained. Indeed, said he, Italy, on the strength of these engagements, would not be content merely with a rearrangement of the Trentino region.

The German emperor says that severe trials may await the German people, but they will be met with grave men and an amplitude of faith.

The allied losses in the advance in Flanders from Dixmude to south of Ypres around Warneton has been very small.

Foreign Secretary A. J. Balfour of Great Britain says this is no time for definite announcements as to what will happen in Europe regarding captured territory by the allied powers. Because every ministerial statement in the past has been treated as a pledge, it is dangerous to accede to requests for definite announcements.

French troops operating along the Aisne front have put down strong attacks by the German crown prince at Hurbise and Cerny. In fact, the French have assumed the offensive, and have advanced at some points, has been noticeably retarded.

Germany had possession of Austria's ultimatum to Serbia fourteen hours before it was delivered to Belgrade, is the positive information which has reached Washington officials, and is now made public for the first time.

Representative Thomas J. Heflin of Alabama fairly blistered obstructionists to war measures in the senate in a speech in the house of representatives. His speech was so bitter that the speaker held he had transgressed the rules of parliamentary law forbidding a member to impugn unworthy motives to another and criticize a member of another house. He called no names, but it was generally understood he referred to Tom Hardwick and Hoke Smith of Georgia.

The German emperor, issuing a proclamation to the German people, begs the people to stand by him, and declares he is not fighting for conquest. "The enemy is stretching out his hands towards German territory, but he shall never have it. New nations continue to enter into the war against us; but that does not frighten us. We know our strength and we are determined to make use of it." These sentences are excerpts from the German emperor's recent proclamation.

The great assault of the entente allies, for which the big guns had been preparing for three weeks in bombardments of unprecedented violence, has begun in Flanders along a front of about twenty miles, from the region of Dixmude to south of Ypres around Warneton.

Because the Russo-Roumanian forces in the Putna sector have struck the Germans with such violence, the advance of the Germans on the retreating Russian in the Tarnopol region.

#### Washington.

With apparently no let-up in the Russian retreat along the line from Tarnopol to the Roumanian border, there come advices of a new political crisis in Petrograd—Premier and War Minister Kerensky and his fellow cabinet members, except one, resigned, but later, with the exception of M. Terestchenko, the foreign minister, withdrew their resignations.

General Erdell, recently appointed military governor of Petrograd, is reported to have been assassinated.

The line of the river Zbrocz at its confluence with the Dniester, has been given up at several places by the Russians, but the Russians fought stubbornly to hold back the Austro-Germans.

Between the Dniester and the Pruth the Germans have not halted in their retreat toward the border.

Bukovina is almost entirely recaptured by the Teutonic forces. The Russian seems about to lose an open sesame to the Black sea, and if they don't turn and hold the Teutons in check, the great port, Odessa, may fall into the hands of the central armies.

German officers captured in the battle of Flanders discuss quite freely both the military and political situation in Germany, and admit that Germany's man-power loss is a serious factor in the war.

A resolution for submission to the states of a prohibition amendment to the Federal Constitution was adopted by the senate. It now goes to the house, and there is little doubt of its early passage.

Senator Smith of Georgia voted for the prohibition amendment; Senator Hardwick voted against it.

The prohibition amendment proposed to the Federal Constitution recites: "The manufacture, sale or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes is hereby prohibited."

Both steel and wooden ships must be built very quickly. "We are in this war far more seriously than a vast majority of people realize," is the first public utterance of Admiral Capps since taking charge of the shipbuilding work for the government.

The United States asks England to be more strict with her censorship in so far as at least as it concerns American military movements.

The great heat wave that holds the country in its grip has claimed nearly three hundred victims, and caused hundreds of prostrations. This is the information compiled in Washington and telegraphed to the health boards.

Exemptions have been further restricted. Medical students will not be exempted on the ground that they are medical students. Men serving in the Red Cross will not be exempted. Agricultural workers will have to prove themselves indispensable to the farm. No "city farmers" will be exempt. It is also probable that young men studying in theological seminaries will have to take their chances along with other men. The fellows who escape via the exemption route will be few and far between.

It is rumored in diplomatic circles that trouble is brewing in the British cabinet, induced by Arthur Henderson, who is a member of the war council, having made a trip to Paris with a pacifist mission.

Needles, Cal., with the thermometer at 104 in the shade, is the hottest place so far reported by the weather bureau.

The second class of 755,700 men registered under the selective service law will be called up for examination early.

The peace interview of German Chancellor Michaelis is regarded at the state department as another attempt to bolster up public opinion at home, appeal to the peace sentiment in enemy and neutral countries and to create dissension between the al-

## FREIGHT REDUCTION ON COTTON DENIED

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION TURNS DOWN PETITION OF PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

### NEWS LETTER FROM CAPITAL

Happenings in and About Alabama's State House Interestingly Told.

—Montgomery.

After being under consideration for a number of years, the interstate commerce commission notified the Alabama public service commission that it had denied this state's request for a reduction of 8-12 cents per 100 pounds in the freight rate on compressed cotton shipped from Alabama to other states. The request was made by the Alabama commission so long ago that every person had forgotten that such a case ever existed.

#### To Start Action For Their Salary.

Certain of the employees of the State, some of whom have been elected by the people of Alabama and others merely appointees, have retained Judge A. A. Evans to look into the matter of instituting manamus proceedings against the Governor and Treasurer seeking to force payment of salaries.

The State issues each man a warrant for his salary each month, but the Governor has ordered the State Treasurer not to honor salary warrants for amounts over \$100. These persons claim they are forced to arrange with their banks to discount or carry these warrants, and that 8 per cent interest is charged, while the State, they claim, is enabled to borrow money at 4 per cent. Not all of the State's employees receiving over \$100 per month are in the combination to force payment, some of the officials flatly placing themselves on record as being opposed to such action.

Some of these employees seeking mandamus proceedings claim they have warrants they have been compelled to hold for three months. Judge Evans admitted he has been requested to look into the situation with a view of bringing action. An interesting feature is the fact that some difficulty is being experienced in finding a court in which to bring such proceedings. It is claimed the Court of Common Pleas could handle the litigation, in view of the fact that Judge Winter Thornton is paid by the county and not by the State.

#### Health Report Made.

For the month of June, according to a statement given out by the State Board of Health of Alabama, there were reported 2,618 deaths, 1,266 white and 1,368 negro. The total death rate was 13.3; white, 9.9; negro, 17. There were reported 3,698 births, 2,459 white and 1,239 negro. The total birth rate was 18.8; white, 21.2; negro, 15.4.

The highest death rate is reported from Jefferson county, which is 23.3; the lowest, 4.1, from two counties, Blount and Henry. The highest birth rate, 32.0, is reported from Cherokee county, the lowest, 8.9, from Houston county.

#### National Guard is Working Hard.

Notwithstanding the scorching sun, soldiers in every unit at the camp are being put through their daily close order drills, extended order exercises and signal work. While the work is strenuous and intensive while it lasts, ample resting periods are permitted.

Three enlisted men of the First Alabama Infantry were declared deserters. Private John E. Ardoyne, of Company D, enlisted at Mobile, June 10, and it is claimed deserted at Perdido July 10. Fitzhugh L. Stroud, a private of Company A, enlisted at Mobile May 14, and it is claimed deserted at Brewton July 14. Cliff Howell, a private of Company C, enlisted at Mobile June 26, and it is claimed deserted at Perdido, July 10.

#### Registration Day For Women.

Governor Henderson issued a proclamation setting apart August 15 as registration day for the women and calling upon all women of the state to submit their names and make a pledge that they will aid the nation in the war against autocracy. Governor Henderson said Mrs. Nellie G. Hooper, of Selma, had been appointed state chairman for the work and that all women should show an interest in order that all forces working for the advancement of the nation's cause can know what support may be expected from American women.

#### Second Alabama Asks Musicians.

Musicians are wanted more by the Second Alabama regiment than are regular fighting men, and those who can qualify and pass the required examination have one of the best—and, perhaps, the last—opportunity to enlist in the service of their country in a branch that is pleasant and remunerative.

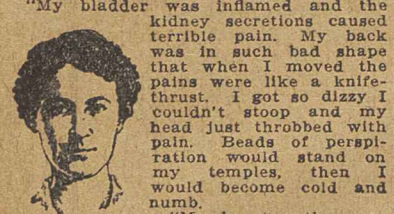
Lieutenant Julian Smith, who is now stationed on recruiting duty in Birmingham, wishes to enlist cornet players, clarinet artists, players of the piccolo and snare drums.



## Was Laid Up In Bed

Doan's, However, Restored Mrs. Vogt to Health and Strength. Hasn't Suffered Since.

"I had one of the worst cases of kidney complaint imaginable," says Mrs. Wm. Vogt, 6212 Audubon Ave., Weston, Mo., "and I was laid up in bed for days at a time."



"My bladder was inflamed and the kidney secretions caused terrible pain. My back was in such bad shape that when I moved the pains were like a knife-thrust. I got so dizzy I couldn't stoop and my head just throbbled with pain. Heads of perspiration would stand on my temples, then I would become cold and numb."

"My heart action was affected and I felt as if I couldn't take another breath. I got so nervous and run down, I felt like I wasn't worth living and often wished that I might die so my suffering would be ended. Medicine failed to help me and I was discouraged."

"Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended to me and I could tell I was being helped after the first few doses. I kept getting better every day and continued use cured me. My health improved in every way and best of all, the cure has been permanent. I feel that Doan's saved my life."

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Used to Them.

Mrs. Jones—The paper says that the charges of company A were terrific.

Mr. Jones—I'm not surprised at that; Captain Zink is a dentist—Judge.

## ON FIRST SYMPTOMS

use "Renovine" and be cured. Do not wait until the heart organ is beyond repair. "Renovine" is the heart and nerve tonic. Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

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Granulated Eyelids, Sties, Inflamed Eyes relieved over night by Roman Eye Balsam. One trial proves its merit. Adv.

The elevator in a department store is merely a shoplifter.

## INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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### LESSON FOR AUGUST 12

#### JOSIAH'S GOOD REIGN.

LESSON TEXT—II Chronicles 34:1-13. GOLDEN TEXT—Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth.—Eccles. 12:1.

The reign of Josiah is in striking and pleasing contrast with that of many of his predecessors, especially that of his father, Amon, and grandfather, Manasseh.

I. Time of Beginning (v. 1). He ascended the throne when only eight years of age. At this tender age he evidently had a sense of the import of the service of God's house. This sense must have been strong to enable him to withstand the corrupt influences of his surroundings. The prevailing idolatry influenced this boy, but influenced him in the opposite way in which boys are usually influenced. It aroused his hatred for it. This serves to demonstrate the fact that circumstances do not necessarily determine the direction a life may go. Each individual has the ability to determine the course of his life; and moreover, his responsibility so to do. It is a most perilous thing to be thrust into such a prominent position while so young. However, sometimes such responsibility has a sobering effect, calling forth one's latent powers. That his aspiration for God and the right was genuine is proven by the fact that he persisted therein for thirty-one years.

II. The Character of His Reign (v. 2). "He did that which was right in the sight of the Lord, and walked in the ways of David his father, and declined neither to the right hand nor to the left." He not only maintained outward order and decorum as to the worship of God, but doubtless at heart desired to please God.

III. Josiah's Reformation in the Kingdom (vv. 3-7). He first set out to root out idolatry from the land. This was a prodigious task, requiring great courage and skill. He did this with a strong hand. Without pity he swept out from the land these abominations. In the execution of this task he—

1. Broke down the altars of Baalim (v. 4). This form of idolatry was first brought into the land by Jezebel when she married Ahab. The images seem to have been such as would appeal to the sensual nature of men; therefore it was but natural that the grossest licentious practices should be associated with this worship.

2. He broke in pieces the groves, carved images, and molten images (v. 4). He even made dust of them and strewed it upon the graves of those who had been offering unto them.

3. He burned the bones of the priests on their altars (v. 5). He not only showed no pity for them, but he manifested a decided ferocity in the execution of his task.

4. He extended this destruction to certain districts in the northern kingdom. It was not until all this was done that he returned to Jerusalem (vv. 6, 7). His reformation thus began at home, but was extended to the widest extent of his kingdom.

IV. Josiah Repaired the Temple (vv. 8-13). Having rid the land of its idolatry, he set himself to the repairing of the temple which had been so long neglected. This neglect, coupled with gross abuses at times, made it to be sadly in need of attention.

1. His deputies (v. 8). This work he intrusted to a committee of three—Shaphan, the royal secretary (II Kings 22:3); Maseiah, mayor of Jerusalem; and Joah, the recorder, the historian of the nation. In the matter of ridding the city and country of idolatry Josiah took the lead in person, but now the work had gone far enough forward that he could work by deputy. He chose his deputies from among "laymen" instead of the priests.

2. Method of procedure (vv. 9-13). (a) Collection of money (v. 9). It would seem that for some time collection of money for temple repairs had been going on. Perhaps it was begun in connection with the destruction of idolatry some six years before. The agents in this work were the Levites. They collected it from all over the kingdom, even giving the remnant of Israel an opportunity for fellowship in this matter. This shows us that religious interests of the people should be sustained by all the people adhering thereto.

(b) Money placed into the treasury (v. 9). Hilkiah, the high priest, was the treasurer. From this treasury the overseers drew the money and paid it to the workmen who repaired the temple.

(c) The overseers (v. 12). Among the overseers were certain skilled musicians. The duty of these overseers was to exercise supervision over the carpenters, builders, and other artisans, and the helpers of all classes. The musicians, by skillful music, incited the workman to diligence and activity, thus lightening the burdens of their toil. Music in the soul while working bears a very vital relationship to the work itself.

3. The character of the work (v. 12). They did the work faithfully. This is a fine thing to be said of a set of workmen.

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—Boston Evening Transcript.

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"Be good," said the philosopher, "and you will be happy."

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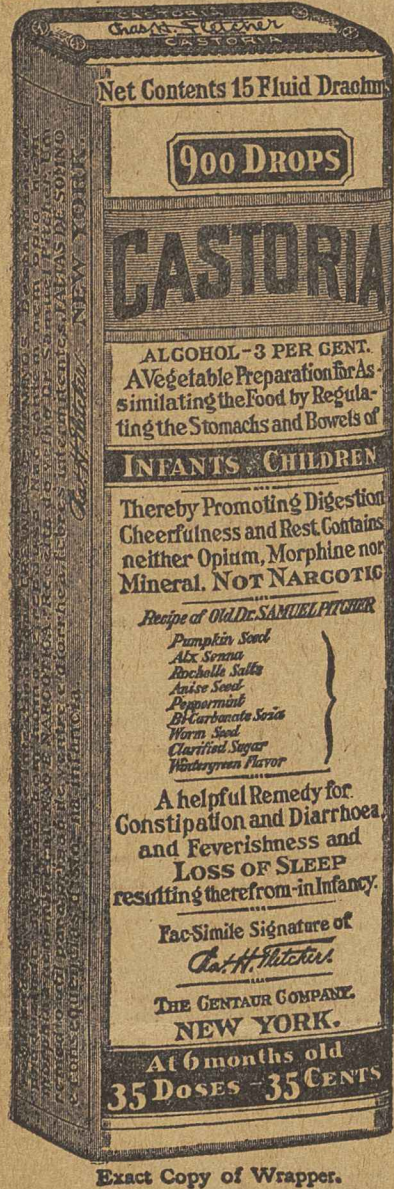
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In the Rear.

Stella—Was Jack wounded at the front, then?

Maud—No; he came home on leave and sat on a wasp's nest.

A HINT TO WISE WOMEN. Don't suffer torture when all female troubles will vanish in this air using "Femenina." Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

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Truthful for Once. "Did you ever know an amateur angler to tell the truth?" "Oh, yes; I heard one tell another that he was a liar."

IMITATION IS SINCEREST FLATTERY but like counterfeit money the imitation has not the worth of the original. Insist on "La Creole" Hair Dressing—it's the original. Darkens your hair in the natural way, but contains no dye. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

Business. In selecting men from among the student officers at Ft. Harrison for the quartermaster's corps, preference is given those with some business experience, says the Indianapolis News. This was explained to the companies by the instructor officers. One young fellow put in a request for consideration for this department, and said that he had had seven years business experience. He appeared rather young for so many years business training, and the instructing officer proceeded to question him.

"How old are you?" "Twenty-one."

"What sort of business experience have you had?" "I've followed the plow and the binder every year since I was fourteen, pitched hay, milked, fed the stock, hauled grain to the elevator, and shocked corn every fall, and believe me, that means business."

His Chief Worry. War Gardener—By the way, how did you fellows get in the house? Burglar—We came through the back window!

War Gardener (excitedly)—Great Scott! I hope you didn't step on my potato patch!

Embarrassing Inquiry. "A fool and his money are soon parted, my son."

"Who got yours away from you, dad?"





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## WHY HAVE FIRELESS COOKER?

This Device Saves Labor, Time, Cooks Food Better.

By Nellie Tappan, Extension Service, Alabama Girls' Industrial Institute, Montevallo, Ala.

Prepared by Extension Service, Auburn, Ala.

1. Saves Time.—Food cooks with no fear of burning, while the housekeeper is free to attend to other duties.

2. Saves Fuel.—The breakfast fire may start the vegetables and meats cooking in the fireless for dinner. Fire started at 11:30 a. m. finishes up dinner, and starts hominy or other food for supper in the fireless. This same fire, or supper fire, may start the hominy or rice, or oat meal, for breakfast, and also a roast, ham, tough fowl, stew or soup stock for tomorrow's dinner.

3. Saves Muscular Work.—Unnecessary handling of fuel makes unnecessary motions in cutting, breaking, hauling and lifting. The consequent soiled hands and kitchen cloths must be washed, the consequent extra dirt and dirt brought into the kitchen must be cleaned out.

4. Saves watching the pot, and keeping the tea kettle boiling.

5. Saves fretfulness and worry.

6. Gives some relief from heat over stove in summer. Cooking can be done on back porch with oil stove and fireless cooker.

7. Keeps food cold when packed with ice. Fine for baby's milk.

8. Gives Better Food.—Long, slow cooking means thorough cooking, tenders the fiber, and develops extra flavor in cereals, beans, peas, tough meats and other foods; aids digestion. It is one of the best means of cooking food for infants and small children.

All this is true or not, according to the housekeeper's management. She must think ahead to keep the fireless cooker constantly at work; she must practice and experiment to find out all the good qualities and all the limitations of a fireless cooker.

## THE DEHORNING OF CATTLE

Not a Dangerous Operation if Proper Precautions Are Taken.

By R. S. Parker,  
Demonstration Agent, Chambers County

Prepared by Extension Service, Auburn, Ala.

The dehorning of cattle is a practice which rapidly grows in favor wherever introduced, and there is every reason for putting it out of their power to turn their horns against their owners and against each other.

A good job can be done with an ordinary hand-saw. It is very slow, however, compared to the shears, greatly prolonging the pain of the animal. In using the saw, the animal must be rigidly secured, which increases the danger of injury from its struggles, especially with cows heavy with calf.

There are several types of dehorning shears on the market. The best has two V-shaped knives, which sever the horn by sliding past each other, cutting on four sides at once. In dehorning something over a thousand cattle of all ages with an instrument of this type, I have never yet crushed a horn.

Some cattle, however, have an intricate system of slender braces of bone extending in all directions across the hollow core of the horn. Sometimes one of these little braces is splintered and left loose or slightly attached. If these loose splinters are pulled off before the wound is dressed, no bad results will follow.

After the horn is removed, a small patch of clean cotton flannel is stuck over the wound, with the nap side in. Clean pine tar is then smeared over the cloth and on the hair around the wound, and if possible some of the long hair on the top of the head is drawn over the cloth and stuck there with the tar. This makes the cloth stay on better. Some of the animals will knock the dressings off. They should be caught again as soon as the bleeding stops, and the dressing renewed. Scrub the base of the horn and the instrument used thoroughly with an antiseptic solution before the operation. In most cases, the wound will heal perfectly in a short time, as cattle are less susceptible to the pus-forming germs than most animals.

If maggots enter a wound, they should be killed with a few drops of chloroform, and the wound treated with peroxide to boil out the pus, and then syringed out with an antiseptic solution every day or so until healing takes place.

If dehorning is done soon after pleasant weather sets in in the spring, or just after the first frost in autumn, there will be little danger from flies and all other conditions are most favorable for rapid recovery.

Flies are almost certain to get in in mid-summer, and if the work is done in very cold windy weather, there is danger of serious inflammation which may prove fatal.

At the age of two or three weeks, dehorning is a very slight and almost painless operation. The method consists in slightly moistening the horn button and then rubbing round and round with a stick of caustic potash or caustic soda until the skin is noticed to scrub up a little. The stick should be wrapped in paper to protect the fingers. Common concentrated lye will do the work if applied with a very short and stubby stick toothbrush.



## "BONE DRY" Is Some Dry

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## High Cost of Living

**B**RADSTREET maintains a careful record of prices. In 1896 the annual index number stood at \$5.9124. In 1916 the figure had increased to \$11.8251, which means that the price of the same kind of living has doubled in cost in 20 years.

Railroad service is an important item in the cost of living. Yet the record shows that the cost of living to railroads in general, and the L. & N. in particular, has increased tremendously, whereas the railroads now receive actually less for service than 20 years ago, and thus actually decreased the cost of living in so far as freight and passenger service enters into the cost of living.

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Government statistics show that railroad revenue per ton per mile in the South decreased 9.7 per cent., or a total of \$35,367,239 in a single year, whereas in the entire United States for 16 years the revenue per ton per mile increased .003 cents, or 4 per cent. In 16 years L. & N. earnings per ton per mile actually decreased 10.8 per cent.

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## Montevallo Local Items

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Mrs. Bean of Arcadia, Fla., is visiting Mrs. M. L. Hare.

Mr. Thos. Shaw of Aldrich was a visitor here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Clark were visitors in Blocton Tuesday.

Miss Lucile Ewell of Gadsden is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Davies.

Dr. T. W. Palmer and family visited friends in Centerville Sunday.

Miss Marie McGlawn of Birmingham is visiting Miss Mary Peterson.

Mr. K. C. Mahan and sweet little daughter of Brierfield were here on Monday.

Mrs. F. F. Crowe was a visitor at Gary Springs, near Centerville, last Tuesday.

Misses Louise and Ruth Haley of Marion and Miss Annie Lawrence of Selma are visiting Mrs. J. H. Middleton.

Mrs. Bob Smith of Helena is visiting her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Acker.

After a short visit to relatives in Russellville, Miss Ruth Graves has returned home.

Miss Virginia Hamburger of Montgomery is the guest of Miss Mamie Meroney.

Dr. Prince, of the South Highland Infirmary at Birmingham, was in our city Sunday.

Miss Nell Murphree of Gadsden was here Thursday, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Luther Fowler.

Mrs. Annie D. Dean and little niece of Evergreen are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pat McConaughy.

Mrs. Jim Reynolds spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Reid on their plantation near Montevallo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cooper visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Cooper, at Shelby, this week.

Master John T. Ellis, Jr., will leave Tuesday on a two-weeks visit to his grandmother at Evergreen.

Mrs. Myal and little son, Merrill, of Philadelphia are guests of the former's sister, Mrs. J. H. Davies.

Miss Archie Newman, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. B. Strong, has returned to her home in Selma.

Mr. W. R. Harvey of the Alabama Power Company was in Montevallo Tuesday in the interest of his company.

Mrs. Chas. Blanchard is spending the week visiting Misses Mary and Annie Ross and other relatives in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Curry of Wilton were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Campbell, Sunday.

Mr. W. C. Cooper returned from Ensley last Wednesday. He had spent a week in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. H. M. McGehee.

Earl Harrell of Dry Valley, who recently lost a foot in a railroad accident, is back from the hospital in Birmingham and is doing well.

Mr. A. D. Brown, meter inspector for the Alabama Power Company, is here for a few days checking the accuracy of its customers' meters.

Mr. W. E. Bryant of Huntsville is here doing some switchboard construction work for the Alabama Power Co. Mrs. Bryant is here with him.

An eleven-pound garden beet was grown by Mr. F. W. Rogan in his garden this summer. That's just a sample of what our soil can produce.

Mr. Morrison is putting up a nice dairy on the farm recently bought from Mr. Sam Latham on the Calera pike. He will ship his milk to Birmingham.

Mrs. Ethel Brassfield has returned from a 3-weeks visit to relatives at Palos, Dora and Flat Creek. She is the widowed daughter of our good friend, Mr. J. H. Mauldin.

Mrs. J. W. Bandy and Miss Ella Peters, Miss Mamie Meroney, Alvin Lefkovits and Bill Bandy went up to Columbiana Tuesday in Mrs. Bandy's car.

We are glad to see Master Jamie Johnson up from his recent spell of sickness. He will return to his post of duty at the Brown Bros. Canning Factory Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Middleton has returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Atlanta and Charleston. She reports fine crops in both Georgia and South Carolina.

Mr. Wm. Smith and his daughter, Mrs. T. B. Doxey, of Jackson, Miss., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Latham. Mr. Smith is Mrs. Latham's brother-in-law.

Miss Estelle Sessions, who is night supervisor at the South Highlands Infirmary, Birmingham, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Sessions, in Dry Valley.

Mr. W. J. Rhodes and wife returned Monday from Marvel, where they had been on a visit to their son, Mr. B. L. Rhodes, and their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Cooper and children returned to their home in Birmingham the first of the week from a visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Cooper, at Brierfield.

Mrs. Hamilton returned Thursday from a week's visit to relatives in Columbiana. She recently came here from Atlanta and is now the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Acker.

Mr. John T. Ellis motored to Birmingham Tuesday. He was accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Ogletree and Miss Della Latham. Bro. Ogletree wanted to buy a car, which he badly needs for the prosecution of his pastoral duties, but he could not find a suitable Ford for sale in the whole city of Birmingham. So they returned to Calera and Bro. Ogletree obtained a fine car from the Wade Motor Company.

Mrs. E. S. Lyman left the first of the week on a visit to Asheville, North Carolina. She will be the guest of Mrs. S. A. Woodward and daughters at their summer cottage in the famous mountain city.

Mr. W. N. Robinson is the contractor in charge of the remodeling and repairing of the pretty Sanders residence on Highland Avenue. When completed the house will be occupied by Mr. W. M. Jones-Williams and family.

Messrs. E. L. and C. Ford, after a short visit to the family of Prof. Graves, have returned to their home in Ashland. Mr. E. L. Ford is due to leave for France in a very few days, as he is engaged in the Y. M. C. A. work in the American army over there.

Mr. George E. Peck, one of the nicest gentlemen in Birmingham, is in our city. Mr. Peck is piano tuner for the A. G. T. I. Owing to his satisfactory work he has held this position for a number of years. We are always glad to see him in Montevallo.

Prof. Zerbst, who has charge of the class in chemistry at the college, left Thursday on a visit to his home in North Carolina. On his recent examination at Columbiana for the American Selective Draft Prof. Zerbst was rejected on account of his eyesight.

Mr. and Mrs. Nunnelee motored up from Centerville Sunday afternoon, bringing with them their daughter, Miss Sybil, who is to attend the next session of the A. G. T. I. They were also accompanied by Miss Leeper, who is one of the college officers.

Mrs. B. J. Large, now residing with her daughter, Mrs. Julia Espy, at Acton, is visiting friends here, at Blocton and Belle Ellen. The good lady reports that Mrs. Espy, who has been in a Birmingham hospital in charge of Dr. Prince, is now at home much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Woods of Vredenburgh, Monroe county, motored up from their South Alabama home Sunday on a visit to Mrs. Woods's parents, Judge and Mrs. E. S. Lyman. Mr. Edward Lyman, Jr., and Miss Grace returned with them from a several weeks visit. Mr. and Mrs. Woods returned to Vredenburgh on Wednesday. Miss Hattie accompanied them.

We erred last week in stating that Uncle Sam had treated the post office to a coat of paint. It was Mr. Henry Latham who did that praiseworthy and patriotic job. Mr. Latham requests no one should write on the walls of the building or spit on the floor. Those who do so violate the law and will be prosecuted. Help to keep the building clean and attractive.

Mr. Ware Foster, one of Uncle Sam's boys stationed at Montgomery, who, on a furlough for a few days, spent the time with the family of Mr. C. E. Hoskin of this city, returned to his post of duty last Friday. His many friends here hated to see him leave—never to return, perhaps. The young gentleman thinks that "the soldier boys" now at Montgomery will be ordered to the scene of battle "somewhere in France," within a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Reynolds are now at Klamath Falls, in the Cascade Mountains, Oregon, having left Denver, Colorado, yesterday for that resort. Mr. Reynolds writes that he expects to do some fishing there. Their good friends in Montevallo wish them every joy of the most enthusiastic angler and hope they may tell a good tale of a happy outing on their return to Montevallo, next fall. And the Advertiser wants to put the story in these columns for the pleasure of their friends everywhere.

Mr. C. L. McCutchen came over Wednesday from Calera with the Standard Oil wagon on one of his regular trips to Montevallo. We spied him in the rear of Mr. F. W. Rogan's store eating one of those pretty, fine-flavored watermelons that grow around Montevallo. Is it eating melons that makes Mr. McCutchen such a pleasant, smiling gentleman? If it is, then our good friend, Mr. E. B. McGlocklin must eat a dozen big melons every day.

We had the pleasure of shaking hands with Bro. J. L. Butler of the Northern Suburb yesterday. Mr. Butler is a hearty veteran of the Civil War who, notwithstanding his age, uses no glasses. He reads fine newspaper print in the same fashion a healthy young man would. We are reminded that the great

Jewish law-giver, Moses, was not only famous as an upright man, but that when he passed away, at the age of 120 years, it was said of him that "his eye was not dim, nor his natural force abated." We believe that Mr. Butler owes his good eyesight to his active life and the integrity of his youth, as Moses did. Young men might remember that.

Mr. Elmer Lee Ford of Ashland, who has been visiting relatives and friends in this city for several days, returned to his home Wednesday. Mr. Ford has been teaching in Howard Payne College in Western Texas for the past year, but could not resist the delightful climate of his native Alabama for his vacation. While here he received instructions to report to New York City by Aug. 23rd, from whence he will sail for France. Mr. Ford has chosen the Y. M. C. A. as his line of "soldier life," and he, along with Messrs. Claude Boozer and Cody Chance, two old students of Howard College, will make the trip in the interest of the souls of those who fight. All of us wish for these young men a safe voyage and hope they can soon return to Alabama and prosecute their labors for righteousness here.

## Garland Roach Killed

During the thunder storm Thursday afternoon lightning struck and instantly killed Garland Roach, a son of Mr. J. E. Roach of Spring Creek.

Young Mr. Roach, young McLaughlin and some other boys were in Mr. Roach's barn. Garland and McLaughlin were standing in the door when the bolt came from the sky. Both of them were knocked down, a mule was killed and a dog was knocked unconscious. The other boys, who were in the barn loft, were not hurt. There were also other mules in stalls adjoining the one in which the slain mule was, and they were not visibly hurt.

Dr. J. I. Reid of this city was called to attend the stricken home. He reports the lightning raised blisters on Mr. McLaughlin's body and made a blue streak on Garland's. McLaughlin soon regained consciousness.

We sympathize with Mr. Roach and his bereaved family.

## The Pope's Proposals

"There is a way which seems good to a man, but the end thereof is death."

It seems to us the world today is vigorously pursuing the way of death. We may be sure that hating our fellows, even though they be Germans, will bring us no good.

Let us be glad that, although the mad destroyers of America have counseled our government to turn a deaf ear to the pope's peace proposals, President Wilson and his cabinet are, nevertheless, carefully considering them.

We are Protestant, but we heartily endorse the excellent and conciliatory proposals of Pope Benedict. Let every good man this day pray for the divine guidance of President Wilson.

Yet, it seems to us, the temper of some of our countrymen is such that if an angel from God should request us to make peace they would reply to him: "Sir, you are the kaiser's dupe; your peace proposals are nothing but a German trick!"

Let us have peace.

## LYRIC THEATRE

TODAY, Aug. 18th

Pathe News. Two reels.  
Luke Comedy.

MONDAY, Aug. 20

William Russell, in a 5-reel Mutual Master Picture, "The Bruiser."

THURSDAY, Aug. 23

"King Lear," in a 5-reel Pathe Feature.

SATURDAY, Aug. 25

Pathe News.  
Two-reel Luke Comedy.  
Two shows. 7:30 to 10 p. m.

## Watermelon Cutting

Quite an enjoyable evening was spent last Thursday at the home of Mr. C. E. Hoskin. The old-fashioned games of "blind-fold" and "base" were enjoyed till a late hour, after which six nice, large watermelons were enjoyed by those present. The young people comprising the party

were: Misses Mary Lyman, Nannie Lee Hinton, Annie Mary Jones-Williams, Bernice and Gladys Harris, Mabel Hoskin, and Messrs. Albert Starr, C. S. Day, Henry Brown, Ware Foster, and C. E. Hoskin, Jr. The party was complimenting Mr. Foster, who was the guest of Mr. Hoskin last week.

## A FINE FACULTY

For the Next Session of the Public School

To the Citizens of Montevallo:

The Board of Education takes pleasure in announcing the following faculty for the public school for the session, 1917-18:

Prof. Luther J. Fowler, principal.  
Miss Winnie Davis Neely, Miss Mary Peters, Miss Mattie Cargile, Miss Mary Winn Withers.

Prof. Fowler is so well known to the people of Montevallo that no statement concerning him is necessary. Suffice it to say that he has been connected with two District Agricultural Schools before coming to the A. G. T. I. He succeeded as well in his work there as he has done here. He has, therefore, had excellent experience in public school work. As soon as his name was mentioned there was an earnest wish expressed on the part of every one that he might be induced to accept the position.

Misses Peters and Withers have been with the school for some years. Without exception the patrons and pupils wanted them to return.

Miss Cargile taught in the school a part of the time last year, and gave general satisfaction. She is a graduate of the A. G. T. I., and has almost completed a course for a degree at the Peabody College for Teachers. She is a very strong teacher.

Miss Winnie Davis Neely was graduated at the A. G. T. I. in 1912, and has been a very successful high school teacher. During her last year in college she taught mathematics a part of the time. She has attended summer schools at Peabody College and at Columbia University, New York. She is justly regarded as one of the State's best teachers.

The Board of Education confidently believes that our public school has a teaching force that will compare favorably with any public school faculty in our State. We are sure the people of Montevallo will appreciate such a faculty and give to them their hearty cooperation.

The school will open at 8:30 a. m., Tuesday, September 11th. Every pupil should be present the first day. The compulsory law goes into effect the 1st of October. However, let us see to it that every child of school age enters the first day of school. Late comers interfere with the work of other students; hence, the necessity for all of our people to make it a personal matter to get out a full attendance at the beginning.

While the local tax will help the finances it will not entirely remove the necessity for tuition fees. Herefore we have had to collect tuition for six months. We believe that we can run now on tuition fees for two or three months.

There is still a deficit for the last two years. Mr. Dowling's salary for one month is still unpaid; also, a month's salary to all of the teachers of last year. If these were all paid the deficit would be very nearly cleared up. We appeal to those who have not paid in full to do so at once.

In the next week or two a full statement concerning the finances will be published.

It may be proper to state that Mr. Fowler's salary is paid by the A. G. T. I., and it is the same that it was last year as professor of history.

M. P. JETER,  
E. S. LYMAN,  
T. W. PALMER,  
Board of Education.

## License Tag 3866

Mr. J. A. Mahan of Clanton, who is now employed here, lost his automobile license tag, No. 3866, last Wednesday. Mr. Mahan says the tag was lost on the road, either between Montevallo and Wilton, or between Montevallo and Calera.

The finder will please leave the tag at the Latham Mercantile Co., in Montevallo.

Help the Red Cross



## ALABAMA MEN ARE MUCH IN EVIDENCE

WAR DEPARTMENT PUBLISHES LIST OF MEN QUALIFYING AS ARMY OFFICERS.

## STATE WELL REPRESENTED

After Short Leave Will Receive Assignments to Active Duty in Several War Departments.

Washington.—Commissions were issued to hundreds of young Alabamians at the various officers' training camps the War Department announced. The majority of the young officers will be assigned to the reserve corps. Others will see service in the new national army and a few are deemed worthy of rank in the regular army. The base pay for captains in the American army is \$2400; for first lieutenants, \$2000; for second lieutenants, \$1700.

A list of the Alabama boys commissioned at the various camps, follows:

### Camp McPherson.

The following Alabamians in training at Fort McPherson, Ga., have been awarded commissions:

Infantry officers reserve corps—Captains: Jekhs H. Cabiness, Birmingham; W. L. Brower, Birmingham; Eliot V. Graves, Grand Bay; Wm. S. Hatch, Sheffield; Lamar Jeffers, Anniston; Leon T. Weaver, First Alabama Infantry; Walter G. Cowart, First Alabama Infantry; Wm. L. Kennedy, Fourth Alabama Infantry; Patrick K. Shirley, Wetumpka; Hugh Evans, Fourth Alabama Infantry; Geo. A. Brewer, Opelika, and others.

To be first lieutenant, infantry section, officers' reserve corps: Leon Bradley, Birmingham; Hal Brazelton, Alabama National Guard; Bonnie Huff, color sergeant, Second Alabama Infantry; Robert S. Reid, corporal, Company H, Second Alabama Infantry; Ernest L. Deal, Moundville; Clarence S. Grayson, Selma; James T. Rowell, Selma; Robert T. Simpson, Jr., Florence; John Moore, First Alabama Infantry; Cecil F. Bates, First Alabama Infantry; J. Frank Livingston, Nottulsa; James J. Alvarez, Company E, First Alabama Infantry; Joseph A. McConnell, Jr., Livingston; William P. Spratt, Livingston; Walter S. Black, Athens, and others.

To be second lieutenant, infantry section, officers' reserve corps: John P. Gichrist, Alabama National Guard; Joseph A. Daly, Alabama National Guard; Ray M. House, Anniston; James H. Holloway, Alabama National Guard; Robert D. Baisden, Andalusia; Julius W. Hicks, Oneonta; Curtis Matthews, Goodwater; Louis C. Turner, Bladen Springs; William R. Burns, Alabama National Guard; William D. Crawford, Tuskegee; Tom H. Hart, Alabama National Guard; Byron R. Patton, Alabama National Guard; Leonard W. Price, Tuscaloosa; John L. Green, Alabama National Guard; Sherrill A. Smith, Anniston; James O. Lisenby, Dothan; Herbert F. Teat, sergeant, machine gun company, Second Alabama Infantry; Edward M. Leath, sergeant, Company K, Fourth Alabama Infantry; George C. Sexauer, Anniston; Benjamin P. Hollis, Oxford; Wallace C. Porter, Florence; David S. Stokes, Oxford; Charles C. Livingston, Nottulsa; Roland G. Mushat, Marbury; Oliver E. Young, Vernon; Charles W. Greer, Marion; Peterson B. Jarman, Livingston; Blevins C. Dunklin, Tuscaloosa; Roland L. Adams, Auburn; Wrightman M. Rayburn, Guntersville; Walter L. McArthur, Slocomb; William O. Winston, Haynesville; Joseph A. Woods, New Decatur; William E. Shackelford, Decatur; William K. Merritt, Tuskegee; Borden D. Holloway, Bellville; Gordon D. Palmer, Ensley; John N. Allen, Mobile; William G. Dooley, Albertville; Lovick P. Lingo, Milledgeville; John T. Martin, Jacksonville; Hugh J. Dudley, Seale; William A. Hewes, Demopolis; James C. Fincher, Alabama National Guard; Julius M. Love, Company I, Fourth Alabama Infantry; Burton G. Allen, Demopolis; Henry W. Robinson, Brooklyn; Thos. W. Walker, Company H, First Alabama Infantry; Carroll C. Fox, First Alabama Infantry; Marion A. Spinks, Company M, First Alabama Infantry; James M. Douglass, Russellville; Robert E. Williams, First Alabama Infantry; Nathaniel J. Rogers, Jr., Ensley; Seth J. Floyd, Phoenix; Howard H. Thames, Company B, First Alabama Infantry; Robert L. Glenn, Florence; James A. Reynolds, Ozark; George A. Porter, Florence; Luther R. Quinn, Hamilton; Robert E. Rainer, Second Alabama Infantry; Alabama National Guard; Robert O. Harris, Jr., Mobile; Julien Hobenburgh, Wetumpka; John H. Thompson, Croud; Judson D. DeRamus, Verbena; Lewis R. Timberlake, Florence; Hunter T. Burnett, Tuscaloosa; Thomas T. Duncan, First Ala-

bama cavalry; Thomas P. Thompkins, Grove Hill; William F. Walker, Alexander City; William T. Allison, Jr., Catherine; Wallace D. Malone, First Alabama cavalry; John W. Brown, Jr., Sylacauga; Alfred G. Teague, mess sergeant, Fourth Alabama infantry; William E. Heaton, sergeant, Company F, Fourth Alabama infantry; Joel F. Sturdivant, Jr., Bessemer; William M. Rosson, Mobile; Hubert W. Conklin, Ashland; Edward J. Winslet, Dadeville; George T. Murrah, Bessemer; Emory E. Ruffin, Helena; Herbert S. Sorrell, Dadeville; William B. Strickland, Bessemer; Emmett F. Hildreth, Andalusia; Leroy B. Lewis, Mobile; P. McG. Putts, Columbiana; Sherrill M. Gray, Alabama National Guard; George C. Warren, Pell City; Joseph F. Lawson, Mathews, and others.

Cavalry officers' reserve corps—Captains—Thos. W. West, Decatur; Francis B. Askew, Jr., Dayton; Howard Tate, Jasper; Felix E. Throckmorton, Tusculumbia; Ernest C. Kuhle, Fort Payne, and others.

To be first lieutenant, cavalry section, officers' reserve corps: Thomas Craig, First Alabama cavalry; Lamar Y. McLeod, Mobile.

To be second lieutenant, cavalry section, officers' reserve corps: Dabney Ramsey, First Alabama cavalry; James Kirk Newell, Dadeville; Farley W. Moody, Tuscaloosa; Richard C. Edcott, First Alabama cavalry; DeWitt T. Cross, Columbiana; Harold A. Lyons, First Alabama cavalry; Hugh M. Comer, Birmingham; Robert B. Kyle, Jr., Gadsden; Lawrence W. Rainey, Sylacauga; William A. Burns, Jr., Sylacauga; James M. Ward, Tuscaloosa; Edward B. Moody, First Alabama cavalry; Fred W. Fowler, First Alabama cavalry, and others.

Field artillery officers' reserve corps—Captains: Michel H. Screws, Montgomery; Jas. B. Garber, Birmingham; DeWitt T. Peavey, Atmore.

To be first lieutenant, field artillery section, officers' reserve corps: Edward Gilder, Mt. Meigs; William P. Bedsole, Pine Hill; Jephtha V. Greer, First Alabama cavalry; Charles McP. A. Roberts, Gainesville, and others.

To be second lieutenant, field artillery section, officers' reserve corps: Eldridge W. Maynor, Oneonta; Adrian V. Van de Graff, Tuscaloosa; John W. Durr, Jr., Montgomery; Coleman H. Van de Graff, Tuscaloosa; Massey P. Bedsole, Montgomery; James LeRoy Boyd, Troy; Cecil E. Alexander, Prattville; William S. Pritchard, Mobile; Rollin Browne, Talladega; Sidney R. Amos, Brooklyn; Lowe G. Corman, Midland City; Henry T. Burks, Tuscaloosa; Samuel A. Nunn, Perry; James E. McCurdy, Flomaton; Virgil O. Barnard, Ozark; Robert F. Lusk, Gadsden; Maine C. Stewart, Talladega; Ethridge McCoy Manning, Talladega; George E. Kilpatrick, Marvel; Marcus S. Cruikshank, Birmingham; James L. McCann, Tuscaloosa; Malcolm M. Knox, Anniston; Aaron A. Garrett, Talladega; Goodloe F. Morris, Trinity; Finley B. Durrett, Northport; Adalair S. Grove, Tuscaloosa; Charles L. Andrews, Montgomery; Vivian L. Walker, Mobile; Richard C. Foster, Tuscaloosa; Marion Rushton, Montgomery; Robert M. Howe, Tuskegee; Walter W. Blackmon, Jr., Birmingham; Elijah V. Chapman, Grove Hill; Cecil Calhoun, Greenville, and others.

Those assigned to National Army—To be captain of infantry in the national army: William Henry Long, Jr., Decatur; Robert A. Herron, Fairfax. To be first lieutenants of infantry in the national army: William F. McIntosh, Montgomery; Walter C. Raney, battalion sergeant major, Fourth Alabama Infantry. To be second lieutenants of infantry in the national army: Robert Burrell Ingram, Center; Henry Williamson, sergeant, Company A, Fourth Alabama Infantry; Edward H. Hobbs, Jr., Selma; Sam Hugh Wilds, Florence; Augustus R. Brindley, Gadsden; Raymond A. New, Alabama National Guard; William O. McCain, Livingston; George Pegram, Faunsdale.

To be second lieutenants of cavalry in the national army: Knox H. Camp, Talladega; Archie H. Darden, Birmingham.

To be second lieutenant, field artillery, national army: James P. Ledyard, Montgomery; John C. Lumsden, Birmingham; Cecil H. Burke, Birmingham; James E. Morrisette, Tuscaloosa; James V. Blackwell, Anniston; James H. Willis, Birmingham.

To be first lieutenant, field artillery, in national army: Howard Ellis Davis, Oak Grove.

Quartermaster's Corps. To be second lieutenant, quartermaster corps, national army: Joseph B. Scully, Birmingham; Thomas M. Williamson, Anniston; Ingersoll Moffat, Mobile; Arthur W. Ansley, Second Alabama Infantry; Letcher O. Grice, Edwinstown; Ambrose B. Camper, Florence; William H. Hagan, Mobile; John R. Porterfield, cavalry, Alabama National Guard; Allen C. Benner, Birmingham; James B. Holman, Jr., Athens; Edward M. Cohen, Athens; Arthur F. Hopkins, Birmingham; Temple Bowling, cavalry, Alabama National Guards; Gordon E. Rankin,

Brewton; Frank C. Lipscomb, Auburn; Herbert U. Fiebelman, Mobile; Henry C. Meador, Montgomery; Freeman B. Daniel, Birmingham; Sam R. Williams, Jr., Opelika; Braxton Bragg, cavalry, Alabama National Guard; Henry R. Parker, First Infantry, Alabama National Guard; Robert D. Powell, River Falls; Herbert G. Boykin, Second Infantry, Alabama National Guard; William F. Flinn, Tuscaloosa; Vivian R. Pritchard, Mobile; Erwin C. McRae, Calvert; Robert S. Gellerstedt, Troy; Rufus C. Calloway, First cavalry, Alabama National Guard; Ned Morton, Birmingham; Hillary D. Logan, Blocton; Wayne D. Nelson, Birmingham; Edgar A. O'Rear, Jasper; Robert T. Ellis, Mobile; Thomas J. Harris, Anniston; William G. Bean, Tiffin; Max L. O'Neal, Second Infantry, Alabama National Guard; James H. Collins, Gordo; Joseph B. Campbell, Mentone; Raleigh W. Greene, Opelika; Benjamin W. Martin, Mobile; Walter C. Harkins, Anniston; Henry B. Glenn, Fourth Alabama Infantry; John S. Noble, First Alabama cavalry; John R. Roache, Montgomery; Moritz E. Frohlich, Selma; William S. Horton, First Alabama cavalry; Joseph W. Freeman, Wetumpka; Gordon H. Steele, Second Alabama Infantry; Sidney B. Hooper, Albertville; George H. Dudley, Florence; John B. Snider, Bessemer; Manning W. Spotswood, Mobile.

Adjutant General's Department. To be first lieutenant, statistical section, adjutant general's department, national army: Charles R. Wiggins, Jasper; Emmett Kilpatrick, Camden; Lovie T. Hodnett, Nottulsa; Paoli A. Smith, Birmingham.

To be second lieutenant, cavalry section, officers' reserve corps: Andrew J. Wynne, Dayton; Manly F. Meador, Demopolis; Thomas B. Locke, First Alabama cavalry; Charles C. McCall, Montgomery; Olin C. Newell, Dadeville.

To be second lieutenant, field artillery, officers' reserve corps: James W. Andrews, Montgomery; Harold R. Hanson, Tuscaloosa; James K. Morris, Tuscaloosa; Charles W. Glover, Montgomery; John B. Bethea, Jr., Birmingham; Geo. F. Neilson, Tuscaloosa; Thomas W. Herren, Dadeville; Winston R. Withers, Greensboro; Everett Lay, Gadsden; John S. Bibb, Elmore; Yetta G. Samford, Montgomery.

Ordinance Department. To be captain, ordinance department, national army: Du H. Maring, Birmingham; Fred E. DuBois, Mobile.

Fort Oglethorpe. Captains, infantry section, officers' reserve corps: Edward C. Betts, Huntsville; Schuyler H. Richardson, Birmingham. First lieutenant, infantry section, officers' reserve corps: John H. Roach, Fackler.

Second lieutenants, infantry section, officers' reserve corps: Allen W. Mathis, Gadsden; Homer T. Baker, Huntsville; James E. Kelley, Toney; Clarence W. Smith, Piedmont; Charles B. Richardson, Athens.

First lieutenant, field artillery section, officers' reserve corps: William W. Tinsley, Birmingham; Charles C. King, Birmingham. Second lieutenants, quartermaster corps, national army: Harry C. Landman, Huntsville; Robert N. Lyle, Huntsville; Clopper Almon, Tusculumbia; Russell G. Hay, Huntsville.

Fort Sheridan. At Fort Sheridan, Ill., the following have been commissioned: William C. Bibb, Selma, second lieutenant, infantry, officers' reserve corps; Robert W. Chapman, Montgomery, second lieutenant, field artillery, officers' reserve corps; Chas. E. Null, Demopolis, second lieutenant, officers' reserve corps.

Fort Myer. The following was commissioned at Fort Myer camp: Levie Wilson Foy, Eufaula, second lieutenant, infantry, assigned to regular army.

Fort Riley, Kan. Captain, field artillery, O. R. C., John Livingston Milburn, Mobile.

Second lieutenant, infantry, O. R. C., to be assigned to regular army, Joseph R. Bliss, Selma.

Fortress Monroe. Captains, coast artillery, officers' reserve corps: Martin B. Buckley, Montgomery; Arthur B. Chilton, Montgomery; Bradley J. Saunders, Jr., Birmingham; Adam J. Bennett, New Market; Robert J. Malone, Birmingham.

First lieutenants, coast artillery, O. R. C., Russell D. L. Lanier, Birmingham; Joseph P. Mull, Birmingham.

Second lieutenants, coast artillery, O. R. C.: Owen Barry, Montgomery; James E. Bowron, Birmingham; Frank M. Dixon, Birmingham; Griffith R. Harsh, Jr., Birmingham; James B. Bell, Birmingham; Richard H. Whitner, Birmingham.

Second lieutenants, artillery, national army, O. R. C.: W. LeRoy Burchfield, Birmingham; Samuel E. Greene, Birmingham.

Second lieutenants, quartermasters, O. R. C.: Thos. J. Garner, Woodward. Provisional second lieutenants, coast artillery corps: Wilton B. Persons, Montgomery; Cornelius S. Whittlesley, Jr., Opelika; Ransom D. Spann, Antonville, Ala.

City Buys Scales. Troy.—The City Council has decided to install public scales for the convenience of farmers and others who wanted official weights on their produce, cattle and other things. A pair of scales was ordered, the design being one of the finest types made.

Live Stock Show Planned. Montgomery.—At a meeting of the directors of the Statewide Livestock Show, held here, it was decided to hold the big show this year, October 22-27.

## BRIEF NEWS NOTES

What Has Occurred During the Week Throughout This Country and Abroad.

## EVENTS OF IMPORTANCE

Gathered From All Parts of the Globe and Told in Short Paragraphs.

### Domestic.

Deportation of six hundred Kansas City, Mo., strike-breakers, accomplished in orderly fashion by sympathizers of striking street car employees, under the supervision of the police, left the transportation system of the two Kansas Cities still tied up. It is stated that a settlement will be made shortly.

Four spectators, one a white woman, were killed, and a fifth injured, at the base of Kennesaw mountain, where Sherman and Joe Johnson fought during the Civil war, when a percussion shell fired in target practice from a battery of the student officers' training camp battalion of artillery, ricocheted a mile out of its course, struck an oak tree and exploded at their feet. Kennesaw mountain is within a mile and a half of Marietta, Ga., where many of the Union soldiers killed in the battle of Atlanta are buried.

Over two hundred thousand men called in the selective draft will begin training in the various cantonments of the country on September 1.

In order to facilitate the organization of the selective draft forces, local boards are ordered by the provost marshal general to certify to district boards daily those who have been called and who have not been exempted or discharged.

Entrainment for mobilization of the selective draft forces will be not later than September 1, and the greatest expedition is urged by the provost marshal general.

Definite assurances that the American public will be protected against profiteering and that the allied governments will get their war supplies at the same prices as the United States are contained in an announcement of the administration's war policy.

Russia, newest of all democracies, grows stronger of heart and purpose daily, and with aid from the United States, can be depended upon to do her part in the great war, is the message of Elihu Root to the president of the United States.

A committee appointed by the Arizona Federation of Labor to investigate the deportation of more than eleven hundred men from the Warren (Ariz.) copper mining district and labor conditions at present, was refused admission to the district.

The production of over one billion bushels of wheat and over eighty-three million bushels of rye through the planting of 47,337,000 acres to winter wheat and of 5,131,000 acres to rye this fall, is the immediate war agricultural program for the nation announced by David F. Houston, secretary of agriculture.

### Washington.

Five American passengers lost their lives when the American vessel City of Athens was sunk by a mine off Cape Town, Africa. Four of the crew and ten additional passengers were lost.

The vessel carried missionaries from Brooklyn and New York to Cape Town.

Private corporations and individuals that have planned to reap a harvest of dollars through the establishment of restaurants, lunch rooms, tobacco stands, soda fountains and confectioneries within the borders of army cantonments and camps are doomed to disappointment. The war department has determined that there shall be no profiteering.

A Japanese mission to the United States has arrived at "Pacific port," and has proclaimed that its members came officially "as comrades in a gigantic struggle which involves the liberties and the sacred rights of mankind."

Major General Pershing and American Ambassador Sharp offered silver cups to be put up as prizes for the winning company squads in a great field day of rifle shooting, bayonetting, grenade throwing, machine gun firing and rifle grenade work that will soon be held by the American troops at American field headquarters in the republic of France.

A national holiday may be declared in celebration of the entrainment of the draft levis for the training cantonments. However entrainment may take place on Labor Day, which is already a legal holiday by law.

Chairman Simmons, explaining to the senate the finance committee's purposes in redrafting the war tax bill, declared the changes made will greatly increase the tax burdens to be borne by the big corporations who have profited from the war.

A reorganization of American army units will be necessary in order to meet the conditions in Europe. The present unit of 19,000 men, instead of the United States standard of 23,000, will be adopted. Many other organization changes will doubtless be made.

War department officials state that 130,766 war volunteers have been recruited for the regular service since April 1.

The president announces that a definite policy respecting war purchases and prices will certainly be made. War profits will be kept to a minimum.

The United States, it is announced, will back Britain, France and Italy in their refusal to issue passports to labor delegates to the Stockholm conference.

The entire 687,000 men composing the first increment of the army draft forces will be under training early in October.

Creation of a grain control board within the food administration to supervise the distribution of wheat and manufacture and sale of flour will be announced by Food Administrator Hoover in a few days.

While the senate continues debate on the \$2,000,000,000 war tax bill, initial steps will be taken in the house toward raising part of the additional \$6,000,000,000 needed to carry on the war until July 1, 1918.

Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, a state in which there is a large German vote, has introduced in the United States senate a resolution which provides that this government, in fairness, define definitely the objects for which it shall continue to wage war, and that the allies also should make a public statement of the peace terms which they will demand.

Sinking of the American steamer Campana, a Standard Oil tanker, with the probable capture of her captain and four members of the naval guard by the attacking German submarine, has been announced by the navy department.

The Standard Oil steamer, Campana, was sunk by a submarine 141 miles to the west of Ile de Re. Forty-seven survivors reached land in safety. It is believed that the captain of the steamer and four of the armed guard are prisoners on board the German submarine.

The Campana was the thirty-eighth American merchant ship destroyed by German and Austrian submarines and raiders since the war began. The first American ship sunk was the William P. Frye, January 28, 1915.

Acting upon the charge that local exemption board No. 99, in the heart of the east side of New York City, the three members of that board were summarily removed by Deputy Attorney General Conkling, acting under orders of Adjutant General Statesbury, who is in charge of the operation of the selective draft machinery in the state of New York. The members discharged are Louis I. Cherry, Dr. Henry M. Groehl and Dr. H. J. Bernfeld.

The food bill, about which we have heard so much, has passed through the last stage of legislative enactment, the senate having finally adopted it in the form previously approved by the house. President Wilson's signature now makes it law.

Senator Hardwick of Georgia was among those who voted against the food control bill.

Immediately upon the passage by the senate of the food control bill, President Wilson appointed Mr. Hoover chief food dispenser.

Thirty days after the approval of the food control bill, it will be unlawful to use foodstuffs in the manufacture of distilled beverages or to import distilled spirits for beverage purposes.

Already the war department has received countless applications from men certain to be called in the first increment of the draft forces for assignment to some particular branch of the service. An effort will be made to meet the wishes of the drafted men in this regard as far as possible when they are mobilized.

### European.

About twenty German airplanes raided the southeast coast of England August 12, and some bombs were dropped in the neighborhood of South End, forty miles east of London, and on the seashore resort of Margate, eighty miles southeast of the capital. Twenty-three persons, including nine women and six children, were killed and fifty persons were injured at South End.

Two French aviators dropped bombs on Frankfurt-on-the-Main, one of the most important cities of the German empire, having a population of more than three hundred thousand.

Unfavorable weather again is hampering large scale operations in Flanders.

The British cotton mills will reduce spinning 40 per cent. The new scheme to control trade will cut the output of spinning because of the short supply of cotton which is so difficult to ship into England.

A Paris dispatch says Pope Benedict favors with all his heart the aims of the triple entente, and wants Alsace-Lorraine restored to France and the Italian provinces under the suzerainty of Austria restored to Italy.

To show that his sympathies are with the triple entente Pope Benedict has removed Cardinal Gasparri as secretary of state of the vatican, and appointed Frederico Tedeschini, who is known to be favorable to the allies.

Smashing blows have been dealt to the Germans by the British and the French on the Flanders front. Important gains are reported eastward in the direction of the railroad connecting Lille and Ostend.

A day of great political excitement in London concluded with the announcement that George Nicoll Barnes, minister of pensions, had been appointed to replace Arthur Henderson as Labor member of the war cabinet. The appointment has the approval of all the other Labor members of the government.

On the long-neglected front near St. Quentin, the Germans delivered a surprise attack of considerable proportions, but were unsuccessful in gaining anywhere except at several points in the center of the French line.

## WOMAN COULD HARDLY STAND

Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Fulton, N. Y. — "Why will women pay out their money for treatment and receive no benefit, when so many have proved that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will make them well? For over a year I suffered so from female weakness I could hardly stand and was afraid to go on the street alone. Doctors said medicines were useless and only an operation would help me, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has proved it otherwise. I am now perfectly well and can do any kind of work."—Mrs. NELLIE PHELPS, care of R. A. Rider, R.F.D. No. 5, Fulton, N. Y.

We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. If you have bad symptoms and do not understand the cause, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free.

Worried. "I don't know what I'll do if my boy has to go to war." "I wouldn't worry so much if I were you. Perhaps he won't be drafted." "I know, but I just can't bear the thought of him ever having to go." "That is a fear that all mothers have to face. Has your son registered?" "Dear me, no, not yet. But I'm just worried to death for fear that some day he will be called away from me." "How old is your boy?" "Just six months old yesterday, and the loveliest boy that ever was born."

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 60 cents.

Her "Meatless Day."

The day after Prosecuting Attorney Horace G. Murphy and his deputies and constables made a Sunday morning raid on a Muncie "blind tiger" and arrested 59 persons found there, many of the men going to jail on various charges, the wife of one of those whose fate it was to be locked up, was confiding in Billy Blamey, the elevator man at the Wyson building, in which Murphy has his office, says the Indianapolis News.

"I'm considerably worried," she told him, "about my Sunday dinner yesterday and thought Mr. Murphy might straighten things out. You see, my husband started away from home about ten o'clock in the morning to get some meat for dinner and said he intended to stop in at the club (all "tigers" are clubs in Muncie) and get a bottle of beer on the way, like he always does Sundays. Well, he hasn't brought that meat home yet, and meat nowadays costs too much to waste."

Pan. They have a new game out at Fort Harrison called "pan," and played with an ordinary pie pan, says the Indianapolis News. Such a pan, when sailed correctly, has all the floating quality of an airplane, and with a little practice may be sailed fast and straight for a distance of 1,000 feet. "Elimination pan" is an improvement on the game, and is played by any number of men in a big circle, and each man that drows the pan is out of the game.

Conservation. "Did you have any luck fishing?" "Well, I didn't catch any fish. But I made the same piece of bait last a remarkably long time."

INSTANT POSTUM as coffee's successor on the family table makes for better health and more comfort. Preferred by Thousands "There's a Reason"



## WORTH OVER \$125 A BOTTLE HE SAYS

Georgia Farmer Says Tanlac Relieved His Rheumatism Entirely.

### SUFFERED 45 YEARS

"I Am a Well Man in Every Way and Feel as Strong and Healthy as I Ever Did," He Says.

"I wouldn't take five hundred dollars in cash for the good four bottles of Tanlac I had," said J. M. Mallory, a well-known farmer of Stonewall, Georgia, a short time ago.

"For forty-five years I suffered almost every day," he continued, "and was so crippled up with rheumatism that I had to hobble around on crutches. My knees were so stiff I could hardly bend them and often I have been so weak that I have had to take to my bed for weeks at a time. More than half the time I couldn't do any work. I had indigestion and stomach trouble too, and my back hurt so bad that I couldn't lay on my left side at all. I tried every medicine I saw advertised and many prescriptions besides, but kept getting worse.

"My brother living in Atlanta told me what Tanlac had done for him and begged me to try it. Well, sir, I have taken four bottles in all and have thrown my crutches away for the rheumatism is entirely gone and I can jump two feet off the ground without it hurting me a bit. I am a well man in every way and feel as strong and healthy as I ever did in my life."

There is a Tanlac dealer in your town.—Adv.

#### A True Optimist.

"Terribly rainy weather."  
"Yes. It's a relief to my mind. It rains so regularly that I never forget my umbrella any more."

Dr. B. F. Jackson, Celebrated Physician, handed down to posterity his famous prescription for female troubles. Now sold under the name of "Femenina." Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

Minding one's own business is a good method of developing the brain.

## Honest Advertising

THIS is a topic we all hear now-a-days because so many people are inclined to exaggerate. Yet has any physician told you that we claimed unreasonable remedial properties for Fletcher's Castoria? Just ask them. We won't answer it ourselves, we know what the answer will be.

That it has all the virtues to-day that was claimed for it in its early days is to be found in its increased use, the recommendation by prominent physicians, and our assurance that its standard will be maintained.

Imitations are to be found in some stores and only because of the Castoria that Mr. Fletcher created. But it is not the genuine Castoria that Mr. Fletcher honestly advertised, honestly placed before the public, and from which he honestly expects to receive his reward.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

## GREEN MOUNTAIN ASTHMA TREATMENT

This treatment is the result of many years of study and experience in the treatment of diseases of the lungs and is the latest Dr. J. H. Gullid, graduate of New York Medical College and New York Chemical Laboratory, a practitioner in Bellevue and New York Charity Hospitals, and an eminent physician. 25c and \$1.00 at druggists. Free sample and practical treatise on Asthma, its causes, treatment, etc. Sent on request. J. H. Gullid Co., Bupert, Vt.

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Will reduce Inflamed, Strained, Swollen Tendons, Ligaments, or Muscles. Stops the lameness and pain from a Splint, Side Bone or Bone Spavin. No blister, no hair gone and horse can be used. \$2 a bottle at druggists or delivered. Describe your case for special instructions and interesting horse Book 2 M Free. ABSORBINE, JR., the antiseptic liniment for man, reduces Strained, Torn Ligaments, Swollen Glands, Veins or Muscles; Heals Cuts, Sores, Ulcers, Allays pain. Price \$1.00 a bottle delivered. Book "Evidence" free. W. F. YOUNG, P. O. 310 Temple Street, Springfield, Mass.

## EYES OF GOVERNMENT ON AMERICAN WOMEN

asking them to put up their own canned peas, beans, tomatoes, corn, etc. The newly discovered harmless canning compound Everkeep makes this possible. 10c package preserves 5 quarts. A large package sent FREE upon receipt of 5c postage for mailing. Price 10c, 25c, 50c, \$1.00 packages. Agents wanted. Everkeep Canning Co., Lawton, Mich.

## TEETH OLD BRIDGEWORK BOUGHT

Don't throw away old teeth, bridge work or crowns. We pay as high as \$10.00 for them. Send them in today and receive the highest price.

## OUR GUARANTEE

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## HERE'S A CHANCE FOR AN OIL WELL

I have forty acres leased near drilling well; good show for oil. Start now and start right with food breeders. No. 1, \$2 pair; No. 2, \$1.50 pair. COWETA PIGEON FARM, NEWNAN, GEORGIA.

WANTED: To hear from ladies desiring to turn their spare time into money. Have special offer. MISS TERESA GIBSON, 915 Ave. C, Galveston, Texas.

SICK FOLKS! Write your symptoms fully, enclosing one dollar; I will mail you a prescription, suitable for any illness you may have. Box 388, Camp Point, Illinois

On the Casualty List.  
A gallant infantry officer who had faced a hundred perils and returned home from furlough without a scratch met with misfortune the first night home, says London Tit-Bits. In the black darkness of a side street he collided with a porter's barrow and sustained a broken arm. The limb healed nicely, but so long as it rested in a sling the owner was pestered with kind inquiries from admiring friends who were blissfully unaware of the real cause of the injury. The limit was reached one day when he encountered a former business rival, who at once alluded to the now hateful subject:  
"By Jove, old fellow, I envy you with that eloquent testimony of your prowess. In what action did you come by it?"  
"Hang it, sir," was the testy reply, "can't you read the blessed war news for yourself?"

## CUTICURA KILLS DANDRUFF

The Cause of Dry, Thin and Falling Hair and Does It Quickly—Trial Free.

Anoint spots of dandruff, itching and irritation with Cuticura Ointment. Follow at once by a hot shampoo with Cuticura Soap, if a man, and next morning if a woman. When Dandruff goes the hair comes. Use Cuticura Soap daily for the toilet.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

#### Off, Morally.

An old Scottish woman wished to sell a hen to a neighbor.  
"Please tell me," the neighbor said, "is she a'together a guld bird? Has she nae fauts, nae fauts at all?"  
"Aweel, Margot," the other old woman admitted, "she has got one fault. She will lay on the Lord's day."—Boston Evening Transcript.

#### WHY HAVE CHILLS AND FEVER?

"Plantation" Chill Tonic is guaranteed and will do the work in a week. Your money cheerfully refunded by dealers if it fails after giving it a proper trial. Price 50c.—Adv.

#### If It Should Happen.

"How did you avoid the draft?"  
"Easy. My wife was medical examiner on the exemption board."

Many people imagine that Worms or Tape-worm cannot be gotten rid of entirely. Those who have used "Dead Shot"—Dr. Peery's Vermifuge, know that they can. Adv.

Some men go when duty calls—but in the opposite direction.

## A FRIENDLY SUIT HOLDS ATTENTION

STATE'S EMPLOYEES ASK THAT SALARIES BE ESTABLISHED AS PREFERRED CLAIMS.

### DOINGS AT STATE CAPITAL

Proceedings of Public Events—News of An Important Nature Given.

—Montgomery.

Officials at the state capital declared their intention of formally bringing suit against the treasurer, E. L. Lancaster, to recover their entire salaries instead of the discounted warrants which have been their portion for three months.

The suit has been talked of for some time. It was placed in the hands of a local lawyer several days ago and he reported that he will undertake the matter, believing that it will not be difficult to establish the fact that the salaries of officials and employees are preferred claims and should be paid prior to the discharge of any other debt.

It is a friendly suit and the treasurer is said to be in sympathy with the project to establish the salaries as preferred claims.

#### State Growing \$300,000,000 Crop.

Alabama for the present agricultural year, according to the Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries, will reap an income of \$300,000,000. This sum, he says, exceeds that of last year by \$100,000,000, and states the increase is due to increased production and higher values.

The estimate does not contain the values of the livestock, soy beans, fruit, melons, nuts, honey and vegetables other than potatoes.

As an estimate of the values of the different crops he gives the following: Corn, \$83,000,000; cotton, \$100,000,000; velvet beans, \$20,000,000; peanuts, \$24,500,000; oats, \$5,000,000; wheat, \$2,000,000; sweet potatoes, \$17,500,000; Irish potatoes, \$4,000,000; molasses, \$15,500,000; cowpeas, \$12,500,000; hay, \$11,100,000; poultry, \$6,000,000.

#### Downtown Club Planned.

Plans for a club building in the downtown section of the city are rapidly assuming shape as the result of a meeting called by Dr. R. H. McCaslin, president of the Ministers' union. Arrangements were made to secure possession of a large building adjacent to the old Montgomery theatre which a committee appointed at this meeting is arranging to place in such shape as to assure its comfort and inviting qualities. Concerted action on the part of ministers who are now in the city and other representative citizens, it is believed, will result in a club building, as well as out-of-door meetings for the soldiers on the capital lawn.

#### Two Firms Formed.

Papers of incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State by the following Alabama firms: Bell Top Coal Company, Carbon Hill, with a capital stock of \$2,000 paid in. The incorporators are: Zeo P. Shepherd, R. S. Shepherd and G. A. Cropp. The Alabama Velvet Bean Mills, Georgians, capital stock of \$15,000 paid in. The incorporators are: W. M. McGowan, J. R. Bennett, and Katie Bennett.

#### Feed Hearing September 5.

September 5 has been set as the date for hearing before the Public Service Commission of testimony offered by railroads operating in Alabama to show why they should not publish and maintain the same rate on annual feed in bulk, in bags, to and from points in Alabama as now is published and maintained by them on grain in bags shipped to points within the State.

#### County Officers Qualify.

R. K. Bell, tax assessor of Tuscaloosa county; M. M. Dunn, tax collector of Lee county, and John A. Turpen, tax collector of Hale county, all qualified by letter to the secretary of state Saturday morning to assume their duties in the autumn.

#### Information Booth.

At a meeting of a committee from the Chamber of Commerce plans for an information booth on the square or some other point on Dexter avenue for the convenience of visitors who come to Montgomery as a result of the cantonment, were gone into but no decision has been reached.

A drinking fountain, located at a central point on Dexter avenue, was installed and the first drink therefrom was taken by Mayor W. T. Robertson.

#### Company K, to Anniston.

Orders issued by brigade headquarters commands Company K, third battalion, Second infantry, to proceed at once to Camp McClellan at Anniston, for the purpose of assisting Company I of the same battalion in guarding government property during the construction work at the camp. The company left here in command of Maj. W. M. Weston of the third battalion, who will be commanding officer during the time the companies are stationed there. Company I has been at Anniston several days.

## INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Copyright, 1917, Western Newspaper Union.)

### LESSON FOR AUGUST 19

#### FINDING THE BOOK OF THE LAW.

LESSON TEXT—II Chronicles 34:14-33. GOLDEN TEXT—I will not forget thy word.—Psa. 119:16.

I. The Book of the Law Found (vv. 14-17). 1. The occasion (v. 14). It was found while the work of repairing the temple was going on. At what part in the temple we do not know; perhaps in the treasure house, for it was found while bringing out the money to pay for the repairs. Perhaps this was in or near the ark, for the law was usually kept in or by the ark.

2. By whom (v. 14). Hilkiah, the high priest, was the finder. It is strange that the high priest was ignorant of the place where the law was found. It is a sad comment upon the moral and spiritual condition of priests and kings, since they were appointed guardians of God's law. It is, however, always true that when one does not want to have his life ordered by the Bible he will put it out of his sight. The disappearance of the Bible from our homes, and the neglect of it in our study, is a certain sign of evil in our lives. Be assured, however, that though the law of the Lord be removed from our sight it shall sooner or later come before us to judge us. God has declared that his Word shall not return unto him void, but shall accomplish that whereunto it hath been sent.

3. Its disposition (v. 16). Hilkiah gave the law to Shaphan the scribe, who delivered it to the king along with his report as to the disposition of the money which had been collected.

II. The Book of the Law Read (vv. 18, 29, 30). 1. To the king (v. 18). This was a most impressive scene, the king listening to the reading of the law of God. It was the proper thing to do, for those appointed by God to rule over the people should be anxious to know the will of God concerning them. The pious king, believing in it as God's Word, was anxious to know God's thought concerning the nation. His interest became intense, as he was made conscious of the apostasy of his people from God's law. His chief anxiety was to know what was God's purpose as to the nation in view of their idolatry. It is a sensible thing to make oneself intelligent as to his responsibilities, even to know what judgments shall befall those who have turned from God. One should know the worst while there is time yet to escape his wrath, for repentance is the only door of escape from perdition.

2. To the people (vv. 29, 30). At the direction of the king the priests, elders and all the people were called together to hear God's Word read. This was as it ever should be. People have a right to hear what God has to say to them as well as the king. To keep the people ignorant of the Word of the Lord is a great crime. The crying need of the age, with all its boasted knowledge, fine church equipment and cultured ministry, is for the Word of God to be brought to the ears of the people.

III. The Effect of the Reading of the Law (vv. 20-28; 31-33). When God's Word is intelligently read and understood there is bound to be an impression made.

1. The king rent his clothes (v. 19). The man who will honestly listen to the reading of God's Word will be brought to his knees, for he will be convicted of sin, and will take the place of self-abasement before the Lord. The king first saw his own sins and confessed them. It is a good sign when one sees his own shortcomings and failures, and not primarily those of others.

2. The king made inquiry of the Lord through Huldah the prophetess (vv. 22-23). His supreme motive in this inquiry was to find out whether there was some way to avert the awful judgments which were impending, as set forth in the Word of God. After all, the human heart instinctively turns from threatened woe to inquire whether there is not a way of escape. Alongside of the flaming, thundering Sinai was placed the Levitical system of offerings. Law and grace are not far removed. The law becomes our schoolmaster to bring us to Christ. Through Huldah the message came that God had taken account of all their sins and that judgment must fall, but Josiah would be spared the sight of all God's visitation of wrath. The penitence of the king turned aside God's wrath from himself, but the nation would be obliged to suffer for its awful apostasy.

3. The king made a covenant (vv. 31, 32). This was to the effect that he would walk in the commandments of the Lord. He also made the people stand to this covenant. He no doubt acted from the sincerity of his heart.

4. Further reforms (v. 33). Josiah now reached out as far as the national boundaries, took away their abominations and made Israel to serve the Lord their God. The fact that the book of the law was found implies that it had been lost. The way it had been lost is not definitely set forth, but numerous ways may be suggested. The Bible is a lost book to many professing Christians today, maybe through lack of interest in it, willful neglect or neglect through the stress of life's business and pleasures. May we not each one inquire as to whether our Bibles are lost?

## CALOMEL IS MERCURY, IT SICKENS! STOP USING SALIVATING DRUG

Don't Lose a Day's Work! If Your Liver Is Sluggish or Bowels Constipated Take "Dodson's Liver Tone."—It's Fine!

You're bilious! Your liver is sluggish! You feel lazy, dizzy and all knocked out. Your head is dull, your tongue is coated; breath bad; stomach sour and bowels constipated. But don't take salivating calomel. It makes you sick, you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into your bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping.

If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your

sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and your bowels regular. You will feel like working; you'll be cheerful; full of vigor and ambition.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and cannot salivate. Give it to your children! Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of calomel is almost stopped entirely here.—Adv.

## WINTERSMITH'S CHILL TONIC

Sold for 47 years. For Malaria, Chills & Fever. Also a Fine General Strengthening Tonic. 50c and \$1.00 at all Drug Stores.

#### God Won't Mind.

Location—Nonsteam-heated residence in city on shore of fog-haunted Pacific. Outside dense fog rolling in from the ocean; wind howling.

Time—Midsummer evening.

Scene—Little Jackie, five years old, being put to bed by sister several years older. Youngster in his nightgown, shivering.

Sister Alice (considerately)—Jackie, you can kneel in bed and I will cover your shoulders with the blankets while you say your prayers.

Jackie promptly springs into bed, and soon feeling quite comfortable, kneeling in supplication, he turns his head slightly toward his sister, with a whisper: "Alice, do you think this is fair?"—Los Angeles Times.

## GIRLS! MAKE A BEAUTY LOTION WITH LEMONS

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smoothen and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It should naturally help to whiten, soften, freshen and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is truly marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands. Adv.

#### Tommy Explains.

A couple of Charlestown kiddies were celebrating Bunker Hill Day by exploding a few torpedoes, according to the Boston Transcript. Said Nellie: "I don't see how the Germans can blow up a big ship with one of these things." "Oh, you girls can't expect to understand about such things," said Tommy, with a superior air. "Of course, the torpedoes they use are about a hundred times as big and they use a derrick to lift them up and drop them on the ship."

#### His Wife Liked Him.

"My wife," said a defendant to the magistrate in the court of domestic relations in New York, "doesn't like me." "Ah, but she does," answered the magistrate. "That's the curious fact of the matter, she actually does like you." "Well, even that doesn't cheer me up any," answered the burdened white man. "I took her for better or for worse, and believe me, I know what I got."

#### Did He Get the Handout?

Housewife—Shall I have to ask my husband to come?

Hobo—Lady, if I was married to a peach like you, you'd have to ask me to stay away.—Judge.

The crusty old bachelor if consistent would make his own bread.

Facts are stubborn things that never apologize.

"OUR GROCER TOLD ME"—Bobby

After folks taste Post Toasties they don't like common corn flakes

#### He Didn't Care.

A man pushed his way hurriedly into the subway at Brooklyn bridge in New York. In his haste he collided with another man, who was not too hot to fight.

"Look where you're going," shouted the militant as he grabbed the other. "I'm going to knock your block off."

"I should worry. I was caught in the draft," said the other with an air of resignation.

The man who wanted to fight laughed, while everybody in the car joined in.

#### COVETED BY ALL

but possessed by few—a beautiful head of hair. If yours is streaked with gray, or is harsh and stiff, you can restore it to its former beauty and luster by using "La Creole" Hair Dressing. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

#### Their Transportation.

"How are they getting along?"  
"Very poorly. They're still driving their 1914 model car."

#### English as She Is Spoke.

"Funny thing about food."  
"Yes; a shortage and a longing always exist at the same time."

Infections or inflammations of the Eyes, whether from external or internal causes, are promptly healed by the use of Roman Eye Balsam at night upon retiring. Adv.

#### Doglike.

"He barked his shin on a chair."  
"Then what?"  
"Then he howled."

#### IT IS IMPERATIVE

that you keep a bottle of Mississippi Diarrhea Cordial in your medicine chest. In constant use for fifty years. Price 25c and 50c.—Adv.

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## A GUARANTEED REMEDY FOR HAY FEVER--ASTHMA

Your MONEY WILL BE REFUNDED by your druggist without any question if this remedy does not benefit every case of Asthma, Bronchial Asthma and the Asthmatic symptoms accompanying Hay Fever. No matter how violent the attacks or obstinate the case.

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AND ASTHMADOR CIGARETTES positively gives INSTANT RELIEF in every case and has permanently cured thousands who had been considered incurable, after having tried every other means of relief in vain. Asthmatics should avail themselves of this guarantee offer through their own druggist. Buy a 50-cent package and present this announcement to your druggist. You will be the sole judge as to whether you are benefited and the druggist will give you back your money if you are not. We do not know of any fairer proposition which we could make.

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Good for Malaria, constipation biliousness—a fine tonic. Guaranteed or money back. Ask your dealer. Behrens Drug Co., Waco, Tex.

## ECZEMA!

Money back without question if HUNT'S CURE fails in the treatment of ITCH, ECZEMA, RINGWORM, TETTER or other itching skin diseases. Price 50c at druggists, or direct from H. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Tex.

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ANTISEPTIC POWDER FOR PERSONAL HYGIENE Dissolved in water for douches stops pelvic catarrh, ulceration and inflammation. Recommended by Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co. for ten years. A healing powder for nasal catarrh, sore throat and sore eyes. Economical. Has extraordinary cleaning and germicidal power. Sample Free. 50c. all druggists, or postpaid by mail, The Paxton Toilet Company, Boston, Mass.

W. N. U., Birmingham, No. 33-1917.



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Montevallo, Ala.

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But we come so near it that you had better see us and get our prices, and note Quality of our goods before you trade somewhere else.

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MONTEVALLO, : ALABAMA.

### NOTICE

I have been directed by the Council of the Town of Montevallo to ask for bids for the school lot purchased by the town from E. F. Mulkey, and description of which may be obtained by applying to the mayor.

The bids are to be made in writing and delivered, sealed, to the mayor on or before Saturday, September 1st, 1917, and will be presented to the council for consideration at their regular meeting, on Monday, September 3rd, 1917.

No bid for less than \$1,050.00 will be considered.

Bids will be considered either for all cash, or part cash and balance in one, two, or three years, with interest.

Persons making bids can make their own propositions as to terms. The council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

W. H. LYMAN, Mayor.

ROOMS AND BOARD.—For rooms, or rooms and board, apply to Mrs. Skinner.

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Montevallo, Alabama

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### TIME TO SOW BUR CLOVER

Sowing in the Bur Should be Earlier Than in the Hulled Seed.

By J. F. Duggar, Director of Extension Service.

Prepared by Extension Service, Auburn, Ala.

Bur clover seed, if in the bur, should be sown earlier than any other winter-growing soil-improving plant.

Bur clover seed is found on the market in two different conditions, that is, (1) unhulled or in the bur; and (2) as hulled seed. The time of sowing hulled and unhulled seed is quite different.

Bur clover, sown in the bur, unless scalded, requires a long time for the soil to become closely settled into close contact with the seed. Only after this packing of the soil around the seed does germination become general.

Bur clover seed in the bur, whether of the Southern or of the California species, should be sown in central Alabama as soon after September 1st as practicable.

If the seed are scalded, as shown in the Alabama Experiment Station Circular No. 29, the date of sowing may be two or three weeks later.

Hulled or cleaned bur clover seed, which heretofore has consisted entirely of the California variety, germinates promptly, and hence may be sown as late as crimson clover seed. That is, in central Alabama, one may sow hulled bur clover seed from September 10th to October 10th. In sowing unhulled bur clover seed, and usually in sowing even the burs of the California species, the seed or soil should be inoculated, either with soil from an old patch of bur clover, alfalfa, or mellilotus, or else with pure cultures (bottled) of these bacteria.

### FALL GARDEN SUGGESTIONS

By Ernest Walker, Horticulturist, Experiment Station.

Prepared by Extension Service, Auburn, Ala.

Till surface of the ground in mid-summer after rains, to conserve moisture and have ground in fine condition for fall garden crops. Apply fertilizer before such tillage, so as to work it thoroughly into the soil, and preferably, three or four weeks in advance. The best plan is liberal spring fertilization, which leaves a surplus in the soil for late crops.

Sow or Plant as Late as August.

Beets, Swiss Chard, Winter Cabbage, Carrot, Lettuce, Dandelion, Parsley, Irish Potatoes, Radish (Winter), Kale (Green), Turnips, Vegetable Marrow (English Squash).

Irish potatoes do not start readily in mid-summer, unless they were bedded at time of digging early crop. If that was done plant those which have started to grow. Northern grown cold storage seed are now in growing condition.

Sow or Plant in September.

Radish, Chives, Corn Salad, Endive, Kale (Scotch), Onion (Seed).

Sow or Plant in October.

Cabbage (October to December), Chives (Sets), Garden Cress, Kale (Green and Plain), Lettuce, Mustard, Onion (Sets).

Sow or Plant in November.

Spinach (September to November), Cauliflower, Broccoli, Spring Flowering Bulbs.

For detailed instructions, consult Southern Garden Manuals, and catalogues of leading Southern seedsmen.

### DWARF ESSEX RAPE

Makes Good Winter Pasture on Rich Land.

By J. F. Duggar, Director of Experiment Station and Extension Service.

Prepared by Extension Service, Auburn, Ala.

Dwarf Essex rape is an annual, winter-growing plant of the cabbage or mustard family, making its principal growth during the cooler months. It is useful for winter pasturage, especially from the middle of December to the middle of April in the case of seed sown in the fall; and throughout May and June, from seed sown early in spring. It is particularly valuable for pasturage for hogs and poultry and is also well adapted to grazing by sheep.

For rape select the richest land available, preferably lots near the barn that have been well manured in recent years. If the soil is not rich, use manure, especially fine, well rotted manure, as liberally as you would for turnips; and in addition apply on most soils 400 pounds per acre of acid phosphate at time of planting and at least 100 pounds of nitrate of soda after leaves are about two inches long. Sow in drills wide enough for cultivation, at the rate of from 5 to 8 pounds of seed per acre, or sow broadcast 8 to 12 pounds per acre.

In short, fertilize and otherwise treat rape just as you would turnips, except that rape should not be thinned. Make the fall sowing in central Alabama about September 1st to October 15th, and in north Alabama about two weeks earlier. In the southern part of the State, the seed may be sown at any time in the fall.

Another sowing should be made about March 1st for central Alabama, and correspondingly later or earlier for other parts of the State. One can expect grazing from rape in about two or two and one-half months after the seed germinate.



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## A Railroad's Share in Southern Industry

### Haulage Record—Freight and Passenger

NO BETTER evidence of the service rendered the people of the South by the L. & N. can be offered than the figures showing the liberal appreciation accorded L. & N. service by the people.

During the past sixteen years the L. & N. has carried 167,560,742 passengers, a number of people equal to the total population of North and South America combined. The number of passengers carried one mile in sixteen years was 6,831,866,990, about four times the population of the earth. The revenue received from five billions of those passengers had to be paid out for the operation of the trains.

The total number of tons of freight carried in sixteen years was 414,340,026, and these figures speak eloquently of the part played by L. & N. service in the South's development. The number of tons carried one mile was 70,773,607,021. The revenue received from forty-six billion tons had to be paid out for the operation of the trains.

During sixteen years the L. & N. has transported 9,800,000 bales of cotton, 207,000,000 bushels of corn, 125,302,800 bushels of wheat, 26,907,065 tons of lumber, 57,637,354 tons of ore, 20,519,355 tons of coke, 133,796,950 tons of coal and 86,309,672 tons of merchandise and manufactured articles.

Since the prosperity of the country is, and must be measured by the ability of the railroads to transport its commerce, it will readily be seen what a prominent part the L. & N. has taken in the development and prosperity of the South, especially when it is remembered that 96 per cent. of L. & N. mileage is in the South. The L. & N. may be relied upon to continue to maintain the high standard of service rendered the South, and asks the sympathy, understanding and co-operation of the people of the South.

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## Montevallo Local Items

For good Taxicab call phone 21.

Mr. Johnny Kirchner of Birmingham was here Sunday.

Master Brice Cheshutt has typhoid fever but is doing well.

Mrs. Lila Lyons of Calera is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Frost.

We have seen no better-kept garden in Montevallo than that of Mr. Sam Latham.

Mr. A. J. Day, father of Mrs. C. E. Hoskin, returned to his old home at Ashby Friday.

Mr. W. W. Blake of Calera was here yesterday with the big Standard Oil tank wagon.

Mrs. J. W. Nabors of Longview is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Butler.

Miss Christie Ford of Ashland is spending a few weeks with the family of Prof. F. D. Graves.

Consult Mr. L. N. Nabors for his prices on desirable residence property and other real estate in Montevallo.

Mrs. W. L. Brown and little sons, Hansel and Wyman, are visiting relatives and friends at Randolph this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Malone left for Birmingham Tuesday morning to attend the Alabama Merchants Convention.

The Montevallo Advertiser tenders its thanks to Mr. C. E. Hoskin, Jr., and other friends for valuable news matter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown and their little daughter, Tessie May, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Birmingham.

Mr. L. A. Coats was in Columbia Monday and Tuesday as a witness for the plaintiffs in the detinue suit of Davies & Jeter vs. A. W. Bean. Decision on the suit will be announced today.

Mr. R. F. McKibbin and family took an auto ride all the way to Atlanta, Ga., last week, where they visited relatives.

Misses Evelyn and Jewel Graves returned home Tuesday after spending several weeks with Miss Christie Ford at Ashland.

Mr. W. C. Malone, Jr., of Attala, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Malone, for several days the past week.

Mr. Herbert Freeman was also among the soldier boys from Montgomery who was shaking hands with friends here this week.

Mrs. E. N. Lee and Foster Lee, of Spring Creek are visiting their son and brother, Mr. Roland E. Lee, and other relatives at Leeds.

Rev. W. D. Ogletree returned yesterday from Mulberry where he has been assisting the Baptist brethren in a series of revival meetings.

Mrs. B. D. Fries has returned to her home in Montgomery after spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Malone.

Mr. B. C. Kirkley of Underwood was a visitor here the first of this week. We are glad to know his firm is doing a fine mercantile business.

Mrs. J. F. Kendrick of Selma was here Tuesday visiting her brother, Prof. M. H. Killingsworth. Mrs. J. E. Tucker of Selma accompanied her.

Mrs. H. C. Hinton and daughter, Nannie Lee, went to Birmingham Saturday to spend a few weeks with Mr. Hinton, who has a position in the "Magic City."

Judge E. S. Lyman and Prof. F. D. Graves of this city and Mr. West Little of Wilton attended the Masonic Convention at Helena the first part of this week.

"King Lear," depicting costumes and manners of the seventeenth century and teaching lessons applicable to all time, was a very fine Shakespearean play at the Lyric Theatre Monday night. Mr. Newman is producing popular plays.

The salt of the earth are such good citizens as Mr. W. A. Hooker. He not only mends iron implements but the spirits and good cheer of those around him.

Mr. Leon Clemons, our esteemed and distinguished city delivery postman, went to Birmingham Saturday on business, returning to his "post of duty" Sunday evening.

Mr. Fred Perry of Birmingham, who has been a student at the University of Alabama for the past two years, spent Sunday in Montevallo with the family of Mr. Geo. DeShazo.

Mr. M. P. Jeter was in Centerville two days this week attending the trial of Davies & Jeter vs. E. M. Frederick, a suit in detinue which was decided in favor of the Montevallo firm.

Master Latham Ellis killed a monster water moccasin near the residence of Mr. Sam McGaughy last Saturday. The reptile was hostess to 39 little ones, which were fortunately killed.

Mrs. J. L. Butler spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the Red Mountain Tuberculosis Infirmary in Birmingham visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. I. Hornsby, who is an inmate of that institution.

Mr. C. E. Hoskin, our esteemed postmaster, deciding to take a few days' vacation, went to Birmingham with Mr. D. L. Campbell Sunday afternoon. Mr. Hoskin expects to return to his work Wednesday or Thursday.

Mrs. J. H. Middleton and her guests, Misses Ruth and Louise Haley and Annie Lawrence, spent last Thursday at the "Camp," a picturesque resort about six miles from town. They all report having spent a most enjoyable day.

Miss Gertrude Burnett of Bessemer, who has just returned from a visit to friends in Mobile, is the guest of Miss Ilee Starr. Miss Burnett reports a very enjoyable visit at Mobile and says that city is now a wide-awake, growing town.

Mr. T. B. Doxey of Jackson, Miss., and his wife, who is a niece of Mrs. Sam Latham, after a visit of several days to Mr. and Mrs. Latham, left yesterday morning for their home in Mississippi. Mr. Doxey is one of Jackson's best tailors, we believe.

Misses Louise and Ruth Haley of Marion and Miss Annie Lawrence of Selma are visiting the family of Mrs. J. H. Middleton for a few days this week. These charming young ladies have been the recipients of many social favors and their many friends here will regret to see them leave.

Mr. J. A. Brown of the canning factory was in Anniston Thursday. He reports immense developments going on at Camp McClellan and says that something like 200 cars of lumber are being daily unloaded there. Concrete sidewalks, electric lights and many other improvements are going up.

Sergeant Ross Ellenburg, formerly of this city but who recently moved to Leeds, and who is now a member of the First Alabama Cavalry, at Montgomery, spent a few hours with friends here Sunday and Monday before returning to his encampment Monday evening. While on furlough he spent a few hours with home folks in Leeds Sunday.

Mr. E. Hastie of Talladega Springs has accepted a job with Mr. E. B. McGlocklin at the Blacksmith and Machine Shop and will begin work Monday. Mr. McGlocklin has been needing a reliable helper for some time, and we are pleased to learn that Mr. Hastie is a first-class horse shoer and general repair man. Now when you want a horse shod or any sort of blacksmithing come to the McGlocklin Shop.

Mr. Hobson Day, who is taking a commercial course at a business college in Birmingham, spent Sunday with his parents here. We are pleased to learn that the young gentleman is making good progress with his studies and hope he may become one of our astute business men and a civic developer. Mr. Day has just recently accepted employment with a reliable insurance company in Birmingham.

Mr. Seals, president of the Seals Piano Company of Birmingham, was here a few days ago conferring with Bro. Wiley Robinson on a business matter. Mr. Seals says he is acquainted with many towns and that the good little city of Montevallo is more moral than most any of them. Our people are not angels, but they probably come as near perfection as the citizenship of any town in the United States of America.

Messrs. Paul Rogers, Knox Woolley, Chitt' Hendricks, and Isaac Freeman, members of the Alabama regiment stationed at Montgomery, along with Corporals Earl Bailey and W. B. Drake, of this city, were at home on furloughs for several days this week. All these boys are enjoying the very best of health. We enjoyed having them with us, and their many friends hated to see them depart, as this will probably be their last visit to home folks before their departure to the European battle fields.

Mr. Tom E. DeShazo, member of the First Alabama Cavalry, stationed at Montgomery, spent several days here with homefolks this week. All of us were glad to see the young gentleman and to know that he is so delighted with army life—as he sees it at the Capital City. Tom is thinking seriously of transferring to the infantry, so that he can go along with the other boys to the battle fields of France. Of course we all wish for him and the other boys a safe voyage and hope that all of them can soon return to their dear old U. S. A.

Mr. T. F. Lowery, who has carved out a nice farm home on top of the mountain near Spring Creek, has raised one hundred and fifty bushels of tomatoes on half an acre of ground and expects to get several more bushels from the same crop. Besides the tomatoes he has grown many other products on his farm this year, and finds a ready market for them at Brown Bros. Canning Factory. Some folks thought a man could not make a living on that mountain, but Mr. Lowery is doing splendidly there. With energy and brains a man can make money on the soils around Montevallo.

Complimenting Misses Ruth Haley of Marion and Annie Lawrence of Selma, who are visiting Mrs. J. H. Middleton, and Miss Christie Ford of Ashland, who is the guest of Miss Ruth Graves, a crowd of young people enjoyed a "camp fire" supper at the "Big Spring" Thursday evening. After the supper the fol-

lowing young people enjoyed a box party at the Lyric, where they saw a beautiful reproduction of "King Lear," one of Shakespeare's best plays: Misses Ruth Haley, Annie Lawrence, Christie Ford, Ruth Graves, Louie Latham, Kathleen DeShazo, Annie Mary Jones-Williams, Georgia Morgan, Mabel Hoskin, and Messrs. Orion West, C. S. Day, Jr., Paul Lyman, C. E. Hoskin, Jr., Francis Dorman, Leon Clemons, Henry Brown, Albert Starr, Tom DeShazo and Bill Bandy. The party was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Otis Woolley.

## WILTON LOCALS

### Wilson McLendon Killed in a Wreck at Turner

Get your meals at the Gardner House.

Mr. O. H. Bice was in Montevallo Wednesday.

Mrs. E. E. West visited the family of Mr. Dave Hatcher, east of Montevallo Sunday.

Mr. The Killingsworth has been suffering with a boil on his hand. It's much better now.

Mrs. H. J. Fitts, who has been very sick with typhoid fever, is improving under the treatment of Dr. E. G. Givhan.

Engineer John Gardner's freight train, No. 85 out of Birmingham, happened to a bad accident at Turner Station yesterday, Aug. 24th. A freight car loaded with lumber turned over on Brakeman Wilson McLendon, son of Marshal Dick McLendon, and killed him instantly. The sad news caused much regret in Wilton. Our sympathies go out to the bereaved family.

Elijah Pitts, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pitts, was bitten by a supposedly mad dog last Saturday. Some time prior to this the dog, on account of having fits, had been ordered killed by its owner. Mr. L. A. Coats struck the little animal on its head several times, with a stout stick, just about as hard as he could, and thought sure he had killed it. The dog was dragged off as being dead. On the morning of the second day after the dog astonished its owner by appearing in its accustomed place on the front porch, apparently in good health. After the little boy was bitten Mrs. Pitts had the dog killed and its head was sent to the Pasteur Institute at Montgomery to determine whether or not the animal had hydrophobia. Dr. Chas. Acker cauterized the child's wounds.

## Rooms or Board Wanted

Wanted by couple: Three furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Would consider board with private family.

Address Y, care of Montevallo Advertiser.

## Missionary Society

The Methodist Woman's Missionary Society will meet at the church Monday afternoon, Aug. 27th, at 3:30. A full attendance of the members is earnestly desired.

## Saw Mill Going Up

Brown Bros. are taking advantage of the present high prices of lumber and are erecting a good saw mill adjacent to the ice factory.

There is a considerable amount of timber near here and the mill not only helps in the development of Montevallo but offers farmers a market for their timber, employment for their teams, etc.

The mill will turn out different varieties of lumber, but mostly framing, such as 2-by-4's, 2-by-6's, 2-by-8's, etc. Logs are coming in already.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

## A FAITHFUL HORSE

### Old Proctor Passes Away at a Ripe Age

On Saturday, August 11th, 1917, this noted old horse, belonging to Dr. T. W. Palmer, passed away.

Every citizen of Montevallo knew old Proctor, and there were many expressions of regret when it was learned that he was dead.

"How long have you owned Proctor," asked the Advertiser man of Dr. Palmer.

"I bought him September 1st, 1892, from a drove in Tuscaloosa. Had he lived three weeks longer he would have been in my possession just twenty-five years. He was supposed to be seven years old when I bought him; so he was probably thirty-two years of age."

"Your family will probably miss him."

"Yes, he was truly a member of the family. When young he was one of the best saddle and buggy horses in the State. We often drove him twenty-five or thirty miles in one day, hitched to a surrey with four grown people in it,—sometimes with two adults and six or seven children. He has pulled the surrey, with four or five adults, to Calera in forty-five or fifty minutes, when the roads were worse than they are now. He was well known to thousands of young men and women all over this country. During the past twelve months I have had inquiries concerning him from eight different states and from nearly every county in this State.

"A good and true story is told about him concerning the last appropriation to the A. G. T. I. Six years ago, when the appropriation bill was before the legislature, all such bills were postponed in the House until the last day when such matters could be taken up. Each member was allowed to call only one bill. The representative in charge of the A. G. T. I. measure had called up another bill and, therefore, could not bring up ours. Every other member, it seems, had a bill to bring up and would not give way for us. There was no opposition to our bill; we simply had to get a man who would agree to call it up. Eleven o'clock had come and midnight was fast approaching. The legislature would then adjourn, and our chance would be forever lost. You can imagine my desperation. Finally, a friend said to me, 'I think I know a man whom I can get to call your bill.' 'Get him at once,' said I. When that legislator's ear was gotten he could not recall me, at first, and did not want to call a bill unless he knew something of the people back of it. Explanations were quickly made by my friend that it was for the A. G. T. I., and that I had once lived in Tuscaloosa, etc., etc. Finally, the honorable representative said: 'O yes, I recall him; I visited Tuscaloosa once to see my sick boy, and this fellow took me to ride behind old Proctor. I will call the bill up—not for Palmer's sake—but for the sake of old Proctor.' Bloch Hall and the new Music Building are the results of that act. Old Proctor was thus a genuine benefactor to the A. G. T. I., for the good impression that he made upon a stranger enabled us to procure, at the critical moment, the money used in the construction of two of our best buildings. Peace to the faithful old animal!"

It is creditable to Dr. Palmer that Proctor made such a good impression and lived to a good old age. It takes a kind master to properly develop a valuable horse.

Mr. Joe Nichols of Ashland is here enjoying the famous hospitality of the St. George Hotel and calling on our young ladies. He is a student of Valparaiso (Ind.) University but called by the U. S. Draft.

## ABOUT UNIFORMS

The Boy Scouts of Troupe No. 1, Montevallo, request that no boy who is not a regular member in good standing shall wear any part of the Scout uniform. Congress has passed a law protecting the Scouts in this way. Any one wearing any part of the uniform will be subject to prosecution.

BOY SCOUTS TROUPE NO. 1  
Montevallo, Ala.



## HAS NO MORE NEED FOR WALKING CANE

Retired Merchant Kept Going Down Hill for Six Long Years He Declares.

### GAINS FIFTEEN POUNDS

Nothing Ever Helped Him Until He Started Taking Tanlac—Declares His Health Has Been Restored.

William Ludwig, a retired merchant and prominent citizen of Port Arthur, Texas, made the following statement recently.

"For six years I had suffered from indigestion and painful disordered kidneys and fell off until I was little more than a skeleton. I had no appetite and what little I did eat felt like a lump of lead in my stomach. I was so bloated up that I could hardly get my breath and I couldn't button my clothes. My kidneys disturbed me so I could scarcely sleep at all. I was so weak I had to walk with a stick and I couldn't go up the steps at all. I had a nervous cough, my limbs ached and I hurt all over.

"I bought Tanlac because I was a sick man and now I'm praising it because it has restored my health. I have gained fifteen pounds in weight, can eat anything I want and sleep as well as I ever could. My cough has disappeared, the gas has stopped forming on my stomach and my kidneys are in good shape. Nothing bothers me now and I have no more use for my walking stick. I have taken many different kinds of medicine and have been coming to San Antonio every year for my health, but nothing seemed to do me much good until I took Tanlac."

There is a Tanlac dealer in your town.

#### Its Aspect.

"Yours must be a war garden."

"What do you mean?"

"I notice it is full of flags."

**DEATH LURKS IN A WEAK HEART,** so on first symptoms use "Renovine" and be cured. Delay and pay the awful penalty. "Renovine" is the heart's remedy. Price \$1.00 and 50c.—Adv.

#### One-Sided Recognition.

They passed on the street without speaking, but their eyes had mutual recognition and challenge. She was accompanied by a female friend, and he had a male companion. When they had passed the girl said:

"That was poor Jack Jurgens. He didn't speak, but you noticed his look, didn't you? Poor boy, it hurts me to think how he has never got over my refusal to marry him. Of course he was all broken up at the time, but I thought he would soon get over it. He's thinner, isn't he? I do hope that he hasn't plunged into dissipation. He couldn't trust himself to speak, could he? Oh, dear!"

And the man was saying:

"Did you see how that dame gave me the eye? I suppose I should have spoken to her, because I can't help thinking I've met her somewhere—her face is familiar, but I can't place her."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

#### Big Words.

Little Girl—The doctor said mamma must take a constitutional every morning. What does that mean?

Little Boy—That means walking.

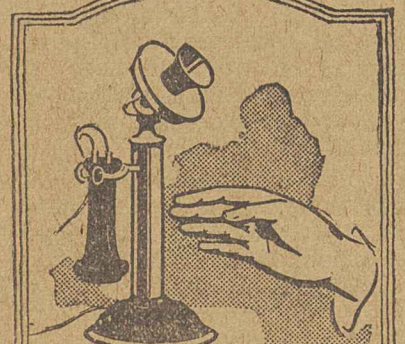
Little Girl—Then why didn't he say so?

Little Boy—I don't know, but I guess maybe if he called it that he couldn't charge for it.

#### Embarrassed.

"You ought to have seen Gladys in her stunning bathing suit."

"I thought I ought not to."



A Call to Your Grocer

will bring a package of

Grape-Nuts

A delicious, healthful food and a pleasing lesson in economy.

"There's a Reason"

## THE THREATENED STRIKE POSTPONED

PENDING EFFORTS AT SETTLEMENT BY SECRETARY OF LABOR WILSON.

### THE UNION LEADERS HOPEFUL

Secretary Wilson Will Hold Conferences With Operators and Miners Separately.

Birmingham.—Frantic efforts were made Saturday by officials of the miners' union in an attempt to call off temporarily the strike scheduled for Monday. This was done in order to give Secretary of Labor Wilson a chance to try and settle the dispute, as he has arranged for conferences in Birmingham Thursday with those interested.

Some little confusion resulted at the smaller operations Monday, as some of the men who had taken their tools out of the mines Saturday in anticipation of the strike, refused to go back to work. However, the larger operations moved along about as usual.

The following message was sent to all the locals in the State Saturday:

"Secretary Wilson has called a conference of Miners and Operators of Alabama to meet with him in Birmingham Thursday, August 23, for the purpose of opening negotiations looking to a settlement of mining controversy in the State. In reference to the request of our government and in accordance with the policy adopted at our convention we instruct mine workers to continue work pending the outcome of this meeting.

"(Signed)  
"JOHN P. WHITE,  
"J. R. KENNAMER,  
"WM. GREEN,  
"WM. HARRISON,  
"THOS. M. KING, Acting President.  
"J. L. CLEMO, Secretary-Treasurer.  
"United Mine Workers of America, District 20."

During Saturday many members of the organization came into the Farley building, in Birmingham, and while some of them had heard rumors of the postponement of the strike, many had heard nothing at all. Some of the men who came to the city late Saturday stated that it would be impossible almost to stop the strike, that in several mines tools had been taken out and the preparations for the strike progressed so far as to make it almost impossible to postpone completely the cessation of labor. The men were told to return to camps, and as far as possible circulate instructions received from the higher officials of the organization.

Secretary-Treasurer J. L. Clemo announced that every effort would be made to bring about the largest possible output of coal until the Secretary of Labor had passed on the matter, after conferring with the two sides.

While union leaders believe there will be an amicable settlement of differences between them and the operators brought about by Secretary of Labor Wilson, the operators on the other hand declare their intention of refusing recognition of the union, and assert that they will not meet in joint conference Thursday with the employees. However, it is not denied that Secretary of Labor Wilson will be accorded every courtesy and all inquiries replied to.

The following statement was given out Saturday by James L. Davidson, Secretary of the Alabama Coal Operators' Association:

"The Operators will not under any conditions meet in conference with the officers or representatives of the United Mine Workers of America or its agitators, nor will they in any wise, either expressly or impliedly, recognize the union. The Operators have done nothing to precipitate labor troubles or strikes at the coal mines, and it stands to reason that they will gladly meet Secretary Wilson or any other accredited representative of the Federal government, and without hesitation furnish the Federal government with all information they may require.

"(Signed),  
"JAS. L. DAVIDSON."

"The strike has not been called off by the United Mine Workers of America, district 20," said a prominent union official.

"It has just been postponed for the present. It remains to be seen whether it will be called off or not, depending largely upon the outcome of our conferences with Secretary of Labor Wilson."

When Secretary of Labor Wilson comes to Birmingham Thursday he will confer with the Alabama Operators and the United Mine Workers of America separately.

#### Circulating a "Smoke."

"Have a cigar?"  
"Thanks. Is it mild?"  
"I don't know. To tell you the truth, I've never smoked a cigar like this."  
"All right. I'll do as you did when it was handed to you. I'll pass it along."

#### Another Definition.

"Pa, what is a sentimentalist?"  
"A sentimentalist, my son, is a man who treasures a picture of his best friend, but forgets to pay a note he persuaded his best friend to endorse."

## EXTENSIVE PLANS TO BE ANNOUNCED

TENNESSEE COAL, IRON & RAILROAD COMPANY TO ERECT SHIPBUILDING PLANT AT MOBILE.

### PROPERTY SITES SECURED

All Other News of State Wide Interest Thoroughly Covered in Pithy Paragraphs.

Birmingham.—Plans for a shipbuilding plant at Mobile on the site purchased by the Tennessee Land Company at Mobile will be announced in due time, and it is not improbable that the work will be put through in such order that by the time the Fairfield works, the \$11,000,000 development recommended by the United Steel Corporation, is prepared to furnish steel, shipbuilding will be under way.

Announcement is made that deals whereby the Tennessee Land Company, subsidiary organization of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company, gets possession of a number of sites on the rivers near Mobile, suitable for a shipbuilding plant, have been finally consummated. The deeds were recorded in the Probate Office at Mobile. The properties cost \$780,000, and the deal is considered the largest ever put through in Mobile. The Mobile Coal Company, the Everett and Boykin interests, the James McPhillips estate, Henry Hall Clark and others, former owners, have made a full transfer of the property and it is now up to the subsidiary organization of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company to get busy on the plans for the plant.

In the meantime, the actual construction work on the Fairfield Works of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company is being pushed. Labor is being employed on all sides, and the preliminary work is being rushed. The site has been cleared, the work of constructing houses in Fairfield and elsewhere in the neighborhood will shortly be under way; lumber, hardware and other material is being delivered. Railroad tracks are being laid to get to the various portions of the work.

#### THREE-MILL TAX GETS MAJORITY

Montgomery.—Montgomery city and county gave the three-mill school tax a combined majority of 280 votes in the special election. The total vote cast in city and county was 2,050, with the city casting 1,348 of these.

The city boxes gave the tax 786 votes, while 562 votes were cast against it. Only two city wards, the first and fifth, went against the tax, and the majorities in these were small. The vote for the tax in the county was 379, while 323 voted against it.

#### Convicts Can Food.

Montgomery.—The State Convict Department is displaying samples of canned beans, tomatoes, peaches, bottles of catsup and sauce, put up by the state convicts at Wetumpka. All of the articles have been given the brand "Alcade," which means the Alabama Convict Department.

More than 9,000 cans of vegetables and 600 bottles of sauce which have been put up will not be sold, but will be retained and form a part of the convict ration.

#### Youths Sentenced to Go to Sunday School.

Albany.—One year in Sunday School was the penalty imposed by Mayor E. C. Payne of this city upon two boys convicted of rifling the pockets of L. Cain, a railroad Conductor. Should they fail to attend Sunday School regularly for the twelve months and to report once a week to Secretary Thompson of the Y. M. C. A. they are to be put to work on the county roads.

#### Business Men Organize.

The merchants and business men of Pell City met at the court house here and organized what will be known as the Business Men's Club of Pell City, electing D. F. Funderburg as president, N. R. Shockley as vice-president and J. H. Willingham as secretary and treasurer.

#### Birmingham's Draft Results.

Birmingham, Ala.—Out of 1384 drafted men called before the local board, there were 200 who have failed, for sundry reasons, to appear; 917 were accepted for military service, while only 232 were rejected for physical disabilities. There were 19 transferred here from other cities, while 15 appearing for examination had since registering joined the colors, and 646 claimed exemptions. There were 271 on the honor roll, claiming no exemptions, out of the 1384.

#### Safety First.

"Nora," said the mistress, "this is my most expensive china. If you break a plate in this set it will be equivalent to your dismissal."  
"Yes, mum. I understand. Might I suggest, mum, that you keep them pieces locked up where I can't get at 'em?"

#### She Meant Price.

Mrs. Primm—Dress materials of all kinds are going up.  
Mr. Primm—Glad of that. I never fancied decollete gowns.

## HOBBIE NAMED AID TO HOOVER

PROMINENT CITIZEN OF MONTGOMERY TO ADMINISTER FOOD CONTROL FOR ALABAMA.

### AT THE STATE'S CAPITAL

Other Happenings of Interest in and Around Montgomery Chronicled for Our Readers.

—Montgomery.

Appointment of federal food commissioners in twenty-eight states was approved by President Wilson. Commissioners for the other states will be selected by the food administration shortly.

The state commissioners will administer the food control bill insofar as it applies to state matters and will co-ordinate state food activities with those of the food administration. All of the men will serve without pay. The list of administrators for southern states appeared follows:

Alabama, Richard M. Hobbie, Montgomery; Arkansas, Hamp Williams, Hot Springs; Georgia, Dr. Andrew M. Soule, Athens; Kentucky, Fred M. Sackett, Louisville; Louisiana, John M. Parker, New Orleans; North Carolina, Henry A. Page, Aberdeen; Oklahoma, Dr. Stratton D. Brooks, Norman.

#### Street Car Men Injured.

The mystery of the shooting of four men, two of them probably fatally, which occurred Saturday night the 18th at West End, is no nearer solution than when it occurred. Motorman Hall and Car Repairer Boyd still are at the hospital in such condition that the bullets have not been removed from their bodies. Neither is expected to live. Conductor Watts, who admits "shooting a man," is not allowed bail, while young Warren, the passenger injured, is confined to his home.

The arrest and detention of Private Joseph Hall, Company K, First Infantry, one of the men transferred to the new One Hundred and Sixty-seventh regiment, for investigation as to his alleged connection with the shooting in a street car here Saturday night, was the most sensational development in the investigation of that affair so far. Because of a street car strike being in progress, the shooting was charged to the strikers and their sympathizers, but developments later tended to indicate soldiers may have done the shooting in revenge against the motorman, one of the wounded men, for beating up soldiers on another line the night previous.

When detained by military authorities Private Hall first denied any knowledge of the shooting. Later, it is stated, he admitted being in the vicinity of the trouble and a woman of the neighborhood has identified him as being the soldier she saw running from the direction of the shooting and who told her there had been a row. No specific charge has been docketed against the soldier, however.

Both sides in the strike remain firm, and a very curtailed service is being provided by the company. No strike-breakers have been imported.

#### Doings at Camp Sheridan.

Lumber is being delivered at Camp Sheridan for the construction of the army remount station, and before the end of the week work will be well under way.

Practically every company in the Alabama Brigade was caught by the recent War Department order for the large quantity of khaki clothing on hand, and most of this will be turned into the Camp Quartermaster at Camp Sheridan. The War Department has ruled that the soldiers going to France will be supplied with only the woolen clothing.

About 2,300 men are still engaged in the work of building Camp Sheridan. Buildings are being rapidly erected, streets are being built, water pipe is being laid, and a crops of workmen are stringing light wires over the entire 2,000 acres. The wiring, according to unofficial estimates will cost about \$10,000.

#### Alabama's Quota Will Be Divided.

Provost General Crowder at Washington announced that Alabamians in the new national army will be trained at Little Rock to the number of 5692, and at Atlanta to the number of 7820.

#### Officers And Men Get New Uniforms.

Officers and men of the First Cavalry are being issued the new style of uniform recently authorized by the War Department, and the men are well pleased with the new clothes. The trousers are practically the same as the ones worn in the past, but in the blouse there is a great difference.

#### First Steps in Finance.

"Why do you give your little son only one penny at a time?"  
"I'm trying to encourage thrift and economy. He knows he'll have to save five before he'll have enough money to buy a movie ticket."

#### At the Dudes' Club.

Reggy—I say, Percy, did you hear about Clarence hitting a man in the face with his knuckles?  
Percy—How dwerfully plebeian! He should have used gold ones, you know.

## HOOVER TELLS AMERICAN PEOPLE OF THE FOOD PROBLEM AND ITS SOLUTION

Shows Absolute Necessity of Increased Production and Elimination of Waste, Backing Up His Statements With Facts and Figures of the Supply and Demand.

Washington, Aug. 20.—Food Administrator Hoover tells the American people, in a lengthy statement issued today, just what is the food situation of the world, what are to be the needs of the nations allied against the central powers, and what must be done to supply those needs and to feed the population of our own land.

The normal imports of wheat and other cereals by France, Italy, the United Kingdom and Belgium, and the estimates of the 1917 crop in those countries compared to the normal production are given by Mr. Hoover in tabulated form, and the conclusion is drawn that in order to provide normal consumption it will be necessary for them to import in the next 12 months 577,000,000 bushels of wheat and 674,000,000 bushels of other cereals. If the crops of the United States and Canada all mature safely, North America will have an apparent surplus of 208,000,000 bushels of wheat and 950,000,000 bushels of other cereals. The allies, therefore, must use other cereals than wheat for mixing in their war bread, and the people of America must reduce their consumption of wheat flour from five to four pounds per week per person.

#### Decrease in Food Animals.

A careful estimate of the world's food animal position shows a total decrease of 115,005,000, and this will be greater as the war goes on. As the increase of herds and flocks takes years, we must reduce the consumption, eliminate waste and carefully control meat exports.

Our home dairy products supplies are decreasing, while our population is increasing, and we must ship increasing amounts of such products to our allies. Consequently this industry must be stimulated, and home users must save the wastes in milk and butter. Much the same may be said in the case of sugar.

Mr. Hoover urges a greater consumption of fish and sea foods, in which our coasts and lakes are enormously rich. The products of the land, he reminds us, are conserved by the eating of those of the sea.

#### Our Duty.

In conclusion the food administrator says:

I have endeavored to show in previous articles that the world is short of food; that Europe is confronted with the grim specter of starvation unless from our abundance and our waste we keep the wolf from the door. Not only must we have a proper use of our food supply in order that we may furnish our allies with the sinews with which they may fight our battles, but it is an act of humanity towards fellow men, women and children.

By the diversion of millions of men from production to war, by the occupation of land by armies, by the isolation of markets, by belligerent lines, and by the destruction of shipping by submarines, not only has the home production of our allies fallen by over 500,000,000 bushels of grain, but they are thrown upon us for a much larger proportion of their normal imports formerly obtained from other markets.

They have reduced consumption at every point, but men in the trenches, men in the shops, and the millions of women placed at physical labor require more food than during peace times, and the incidence of their saving and any shortage which they may suffer, falls first upon women and children. If this privation becomes too great, their peoples cannot be maintained constant in the war, and we will be left alone to fight the battle of democracy with Germany.

The problem of food conservation is one of many complexions. We cannot, and we do not wish, with our free institutions and our large resources of food, to imitate Europe in its policed rationing, but we must voluntarily and intelligently assume the responsibility before us as one in which everyone has a direct and inescapable interest. We must increase our export of foods to the allies, and in the circumstances of our shipping situation, these exports must be of the most concentrated foods. These are wheat, flour, beef, pork and dairy products. We have other foods in great abundance which we can use instead of these commodities, and we can prevent wastes in a thousand directions. We must guard the drainage of exports from the United States, that we retain a proper supply for our own country, and we must adopt such measures as will ameliorate, so far as may be, the price conditions of our less fortunate. We must drain the supplies from the country to Europe as by the high prices that would follow to force our people to

#### Peculiarities of Sleep.

A person absolutely without sleep or nine days will die. Sufferers from insomnia sometimes maintain that they have gone for weeks without sleep, but it has been proved that they actually sleep without being aware of it. At a certain point sleep is inevitable, no matter what the bodily condition, the alternative being death. A method of taming wild elephants is said to be that of depriving the animals of sleep when first caught. In a few days they become practically spiritless and harmless.

shorten their consumption. This operation of "normal economic forces" would starve that element of the community to whom we owe the most protection. We must try to impose the burden equally upon all.

#### Action Must Be Voluntary.

There is no royal road to food conservation. We can only accomplish this by the voluntary action of our whole people, each element in proportion to its means. It is a matter of equality of burden; a matter of minute saving and substitution at every point in the 20,000,000 kitchens, on the 20,000,000 dinner tables and in the 2,000,000 manufacturing, wholesale and retail establishments of the country. The task is thus in its essence the daily individual service of all the people. Every group can substitute and even the great majority of thrifty people can save a little—and the more luxurious elements of the population can by reduction to simple living save much. The final result of substituting other products and saving one pound of wheat flour, two ounces of fats, seven ounces of sugar and seven ounces of meat weekly, by each person, will, when we have multiplied this by one hundred million, have increased our exports to the amounts absolutely required by our allies. This means no more than that we should eat plenty, but eat wisely and without waste.

Food conservation has other aspects of utmost importance. Wars must be paid for by savings. We must save in the consumption in commodities and the consumption of unproductive labor in order that we may divert our manhood to the army and to the shops.

The whole of Europe has been engaged ever since the war began in the elimination of waste, the simplification of life, and the increase of its industrial capacity. When the war is over the consuming power of the world will be reduced by the loss of prosperity and man power, and we shall enter a period of competition without parallel in ferocity. After the war, we must maintain our foreign markets if our working people are to be employed.

The impact of the food shortage of Europe has knocked at every door of the United States during the past three years. The prices of foodstuffs have nearly doubled, and the reverberations of Europe's increasing shortage would have thundered twice as loudly during the coming year even had we not entered the war, and it can now only be mitigated if we can exert a strong control and this in many directions.

We are today in an era of high prices. We must maintain prices at such a level as will stimulate production, for we are faced by a starving world and the value of a commodity to the hungry is greater than its price.

As a result of the world shortage of supplies, our consumers have suffered from speculation and extortion. While wages for some kinds of labor have increased with the rise in food prices, in others, it has been difficult to maintain our high standard of nutrition.

By the elimination of waste in all classes, by the reduction in the consumption of foodstuffs by the more fortunate, we shall increase our supplies not only for export but for home, and by increased supplies we can help in the amelioration of prices.

#### For Better Distribution.

Beyond this the duty has been laid upon the food administration to co-operate with the patriotic men in trades and commerce, that we may eliminate the evils which have grown into our system of distribution, that the burden may fall equitably upon all by restoration, so far as may be, of the normal course of trade. It is the purpose of the food administration to use its utmost power and the utmost ability that patriotism can assemble to ameliorate this situation to such a degree as may be possible.

The food administration is assembling the best expert advice in the country on home economics, on food utilization, on trade practices and trade wastes, and on the conduct of public eating places, and we shall outline from time to time detailed suggestions, which if honestly carried out by such individuals in the country, we believe will effect the result which we must attain. We are asking every home, every public eating place and many trades, to sign a pledge card to accept these directions, so far as their circumstances permit, and we are organizing various instrumentalities to ameliorate speculation. We are asking the men of the country who are not actually engaged in the handling of food to sign similar pledges that they shall see to it, so far as they are able, that these directions are followed.

less. The brain of the elephant is held to be more highly developed than that of any other wild animal; but, of course, as compared with a human brain, can be easily fatigued by new impressions, and so made dependent on sleep.

#### Wasted Energy.

"Smith told me he felt very much run down, and was going to a doctor to build him up." "He ought to be able to do that himself. He's a good architect."



## UGH! CALOMEL MAKES YOU SICK! CLEAN LIVER AND BOWELS MY WAY

Just Once! Try "Dodson's Liver Tone" When Bilious, Constipated, Headachy—Don't Lose a Day's Work.

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Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning, because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and your bowels regular.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and cannot salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of calomel is almost stopped entirely here.—Adv.

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"I began to grow worse as the days passed and finally I had to take to my bed. My head ached terribly and my back just throbbled. I was always dizzy and it seemed as if everything was whirling. Little black spots came before my eyes and I also suffered from painful and scanty passages of the kidney secretions. Everything seemed dark and dreary."

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## INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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### LESSON FOR AUGUST 26.

#### THE CAPTIVITY OF JUDAH.

LESSON TEXT—II Kings 23:1-21.  
GOLDEN TEXT—As I live, saith the Lord God, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked.—Ezekiel 33:11.

Many years after the kingdom of Israel was taken captive by the Assyrians, Judah was carried away to Babylon. Judah's captivity was in three stages, covering about twenty years. The first deportation was while Jehoia-kim was king. Daniel and his friends went into captivity at this time (Dan. 1:1-6). The seventy years captivity dates from this time. The second deportation was while Jehoia-kim reigned. Most likely Ezekiel was carried away with this second company (Ezekiel 1:1-2). The third deportation, some twelve years after the second, is the one described in our lesson. At this time the greater part of the nation was removed to Babylon. Only the poor and unimportant were left. Jerusalem itself was destroyed at this time.

I. Jerusalem Besieged (vv. 1-3). Zedekiah owed his kingship to the king of Babylon (chapter 24:17), who appointed him to the throne after the removal of Jehoia-kim. His name was changed from Mattaniah to Zedekiah. He was not a good man (24:19). Though having his position by the will of the king of Babylon, he rebelled against that king. He thought that by the aid of the surrounding nations, especially Egypt, he could throw off the yoke of Babylon. Jeremiah counseled submission, but the king refused. Nebuchadnezzar came in person with all his host and laid siege to Jerusalem, even building forts against it (v. 1). This siege lasted for about a year and a half. For a while during that period the Chaldean army withdrew because of the appearance of Pharaoh's army (Jer. 37:5). Shut off from help from without, the Jews soon were famishing for want of bread. The horrors of this famine were awful. For a description of it one should read the book of Lamentations. Mothers ate their own children (Lam. 4:10). The richest, even ladies in silken robes, wandered about searching for scraps in the dung heaps (Lam. 4:5-10). Their tongues clave to the roofs of their mouths, and their skins were dried up. Added to these horrors were murderous fights between parties among the Jews. Some wanted to surrender; others insisted upon holding out.

II. Zedekiah's Flight (vv. 4-7). At length the city was broken up, and the king and his warriors fled by night. His thought was to escape to the country beyond the Jordan. The Chaldean army overtook him, scattered his army, and carried Zedekiah to Babel, where Nebuchadnezzar had his headquarters. Here judgment was passed upon him. In his trial it was shown that his solemn oath of allegiance to the Chaldeans had been broken, thus showing himself a traitor (II Chron. 36:13). As a punishment for his treachery his own sons were slain before him, his eyes put out (v. 7), and he himself carried to Babylon, where he remained a prisoner till his death (Jer. 52:11). In this we have a marvelous fulfillment of prophecy (Ezekiel 12:3), which says that Zedekiah shall be taken to Babylon and die there and yet not see the city. He could not see it because his eyes were out. Let us learn from this that which God says will surely come to pass, even though we cannot explain its details.

III. The Destruction of the City (vv. 8-10). Not only were the people taken captive, but the city itself was subjected to the utmost rigors of war. They plundered the house of the Lord, the palace and the houses of the rich, and then consigned them to the flames (v. 9). They even broke down the walls of Jerusalem (v. 10) and massacred many of the people (Lam. 2:3, 4).

IV. Disposition of the Inhabitants and the Contents of the Temple (vv. 11-21). 1. The inhabitants (vv. 11, 12). They were divided into two classes, those who had deserted to the Babylonians during the siege and those who were found inside of the city at the time it was taken. Many doubtless deserted to the Babylonians during this siege, as even Jeremiah was arrested on this charge (Jer. 38:13). The poor of the land were left to be vine dressers and husbandmen. The wealthy and influential were taken away, as they would be of value to the conquering nation; besides they would be a menace if left behind. The poor were left because pauper captives would be a burden.

#### sure Prognostications.

"Why are you taking your umbrella and raincoat with you? There is no sign of bad weather."

"I know there isn't, but the church garden parties have started."

#### Couldn't Change Her's.

Applicant—What is your daughter's name?

Mistress—Her name is Nora.

Applicant—Oh, that's too bad. I'm afraid you'll have to call her something else. My name is Nora, too.

### GIRL OF 14 SOLDIER'S WIFE

While Her Husband Fights in France Young Bride Will Go to School in This Country.

A fourteen-year-old schoolgirl became a soldier's wife in Brooklyn recently, thus following the example of her mother, who became the bride of one of Uncle Sam's men in khaki 14 months ago.

Mattie Lee Hudsbeth of Douglas, Ariz., was the latest bride, says the Brooklyn Eagle. The soldier boy who became her husband is David Eugene Henry of Spring, Tex. The bridegroom is only twenty-two, and a member of the Twenty-second infantry, now stationed at Fort Hamilton.

The girl's stepfather went abroad with General Pershing, and is now "somewhere in France." His wife planned to join him and come East. While waiting passports here her daughter met Henry, with whom she became acquainted in Arizona, two years ago.

While the bride's mother is absent in France her daughter will remain here and attend school.

### Lemon Juice For Freckles

Girls! Make beauty lotion at home for a few cents. Try it!

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless. Adv.

#### Now She's Angry.

He—I wonder what the meaning of that picture is? The youth and the maiden are in a tender attitude.

She—Oh, don't you see? He has just asked her to marry him, and she is accepting him. How sweet! What does the artist call the picture?

He (looking about)—Oh, I see. It's written on a card at the bottom—"Sold."

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He (confused)—I try to be.—Brunonian.

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#### Doris' Idea.

Doris' father raised chickens, and Doris understood all about setting hens. One day she was taken to see the new litter of puppies. They were curly black balls cuddled down beside a smooth tan mother.

"Are those really Emmy Lou's puppies?" Doris asked.

"Yes, dear," she was told.

"Well, then," she remarked in a disgusted tone, "she couldn't have sat on her own eggs."

#### WOMAN'S CROWNING GLORY

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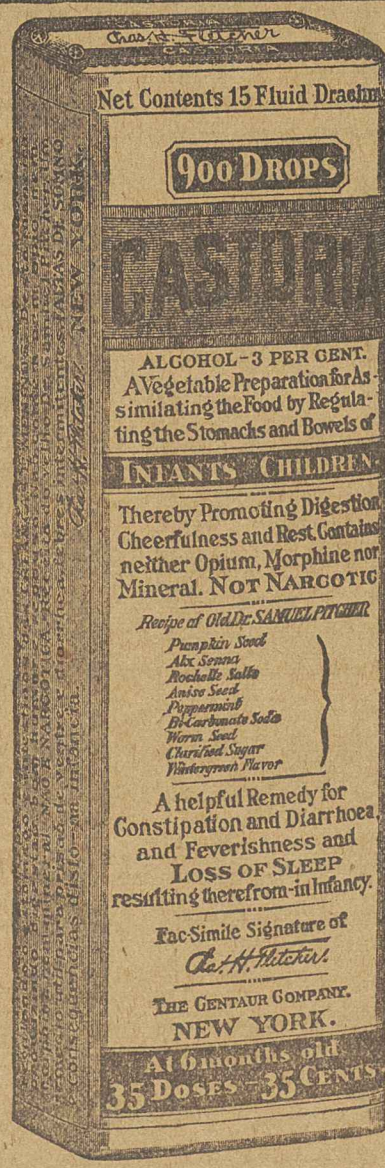
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The bids are to be made in writing and delivered, sealed, to the mayor on or before Saturday, September 1st, 1917, and will be presented to the council for consideration at their regular meeting, on Monday, September 3rd, 1917.

No bid for less than \$1,050.00 will be considered.

Bids will be considered either for all cash, or part cash and balance in one, two, or three years, with interest.

Persons making bids can make their own propositions as to terms.

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## SHELBY SOLDIERS

## List of Those Chosen in Draft.—More Wanted

From the Shelby County Sun we obtain the following information:

The Board of Examiners of Shelby County will call for 300 more men for examination the latter part of this week. There has already been about half the required number obtained, from the first examination, and the board is still busy passing on claims of exemptions.

## No Exemptions Claimed

Those who stood the examination before the Exemption Board and claimed no exemption and have been accepted for service in the army are as follows:

From Montevallo: B. B. Fancher, and Joe Lee.

From Wilton: O. K. Moreland, J. P. McLendon, Ben Thompson.

From Maylene: W. F. Lacey, H. Davis, Robt. Williams.

From Aldrich: Lee White.

From Saginaw: Albert DeJannet, I. D. Norris, W. H. Fulton.

From Shelby: J. W. Long, G. S. Busby, R. M. Miller, W. E. Busby, W. F. Bierley.

From Siluria: H. D. Scott, T. M. Wyatt.

From Columbiana: Jno. McGhee, Al Hawkins.

From Calera: W. J. Coker, H. C. Moss.

From Memphis: R. W. Wilder.

From Wilsonville: Harry Mitchell, Wm. Cahil, Gus Kidd.

From Helena: Wes. Cunningham, Major Moore, Osce Carter.

From Vincent: Carl C. Etrass, R. C. Smith, John Foster.

From Pelham: W. M. Shirley, Alex Wilson, P. T. Douglass.

From Acton: John Lloyd.

From Sterrett: B. J. Lawley.

From Harpersville: W. H. Minter.

From Chelsea: J. A. Swindale.

## Exemptions Denied

The following must join the army because their claims for exemptions have been denied:

From Montevallo: W. E. Sorrell, L. G. Underwood, J. T. Woolley.

From Aldrich: L. E. Shaw.

From Wilton: A. Flanagan.

From Calera: C. C. Nelson, Earl Gunn, G. M. Long, E. E. Lynch, Wilbert Moran.

From Shelby: L. P. Lovett.

From Harpersville: Will Weathers.

From Chelsea: E. W. Davis.

From Acton: J. W. Adams.

From Boothton: Knox Coshatt, Earl Swann.

From Leeds: F. M. McCaa.

From Sterrett: Cecil Howard.

From Helena: Pollard Rowe, O. T. Hosea, Mois Reece.

From Vincent: Lucius O'Neal.

From Underwood: L. D. Stripling.

## Failed to Answer

The following men, it is said, must join the army because they failed to answer call for examination: Possibly they may be excused if they appear in required 10 days:

From Montevallo: Will Hill.  
From Aldrich: L. S. Smith, Loyd Bell.

From Helena: J. T. Fant, John Williams.

From Arkwright: Howard Garrett

From Calera: W. A. Jones.

From Chelsea: John Gilyard.

From Maylene: Frank Jones, Henry Woods, Bill Brown, Henry Webster, Rufe Atkinson.

From Acton: Jim Finley, J. H. Brown, George Watts, M. M. Williams, J. D. Hart.

From Pelham: Joe Walker

From Vincent: Arthur Farley.

From Leeds: E. B. Kreider.

From Longview: Will Brown.

From Shelby: Jos. Howard.

From Siluria: T. J. Moon.

The Advocate says all those accepted are single men, and that when the total of 146 have been selected all will be sent to Atlanta, Ga., for training. The board has passed on 170 names. Out of this number 64 have been chosen and 105 exempted.

The board will pass on the other exemption claims this week.

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